

JOHN MARCOTTE NEW ST. PAUL'S CASTRO'S PAPER THE MAYOR'S VETO

Appealed From a House of Correction Sentence

John Marcotte who stabbed Della Conroy in the head at Mrs. Brennan's boarding house, 19 John street, Tuesday morning and who was given a hearing Wednesday morning was in court today and got a sentence of six months in the house of correction. Through his counsel, James Stuart Murphy, Marcotte appealed and was held under \$50 bonds for the superior court.

Lawyer Murphy moved that the case be reopened as when the hearing was held Wednesday morning Marcotte was not represented by counsel. Judge Hadley however refused to reopen the case, stating that all the testimony had been offered and that the case was continued till today for sentence only.

HELD IN \$50.

Henry Hopkins was arrested yesterday on warrants charging him with larceny of property from Henry J. O'Dowd and Henry O'Brien. In court this morning the complaint made by Mr. O'Brien was withdrawn but the complaint made by Mr. O'Dowd, which included two counts stated that on the ninth of March Hopkins stole a harness valued at \$30 and a blanket valued at \$5, while on the 20th of March it is alleged he stole a carriage pole valued at \$10 and a harness valued at \$5. Hopkins entered pleas of not guilty on both counts.

Daniel J. Donahue appeared for Hopkins and John J. Harvey for the government. The case was continued by agreement till Monday morning at ten o'clock, the defendant being held under \$50 bonds.

LIQUOR FORFEITED.

A quantity of liquor seized from Michael J. Sullivan on May 17 was declared forfeited to the state.

CASE CONTINUED.

The case of Michael J. Quinn charged with drunkenness and assault and battery was called, but the court was notified that the complainant was at St. John's hospital and would not be able to appear in court for a couple of weeks. Therefore the case was continued till two weeks from today.

Work of Renovating the Church After the Fire is Practically Completed, Though Organ Repairs Will Take Some Time

With the exception of the repairs on the great organ in the auditorium the renovation of St. Paul's church after the fire, is about complete and one will have to go far to find a more beautiful or more convenient interior.

The repairs on the organ which of course delay the re-establishment of the pulpit will take until September when the church will be rededicated with elaborate and impressive services at which some of the leading dignitaries of the church will participate.

At present, however, the church may be said to be practically completed and services are being held in the vestry which in itself will compare favorably with many auditoriums. The carpentering work has been completed and the painters are now finishing their work in the auditorium.

One would hardly know the old church upon entering so striking are the improvements that have been made and Rev. Mr. Dean, the zealous and popular pastor of St. Paul's is to be congratulated upon so quickly and so completely recovering from the disastrous effects of the fire.

The change and improvement is noticed as one enters the main door, for here instead of the old sliding door which in days gone by often caused the poor steeple to recall the fact that Job didn't live in the age of sliding doors, or else biblical history would have been different there is now a modern double door so arranged as to be opened on both sides in an instant. Then the main hall presents a much more cheerful appearance, the woodwork being of walnut finish and the walls of buff with deep leather dado.

The vestry presents an entirely new appearance and one would hardly recognize the old vestry with the great changes that have been made. The main vestry is done in oak with flat ceilings and tinted walls and ceiling. Comfortable open chairs give it a large seating capacity. A new feature is the silvering walls that separate the main vestry from the class and other rooms adjoining it. In each of these the walls or partitions slide upward from the four foot wainscoting so that all rooms are combined into one practically, when occasion requires. These blind walls, and in fact none of the partitions of the vestry are solid but above the wainscoting are of the silver ripple glass, which aside from its attractive appearance and ventilating properties also diffuses the light to a great extent so as to make the interior most cheerful under any kind of natural light, and entirely removing the gloomy effect found in so many churches. In the centre of the vestry at the farther end from the entrance is the pulpit and the chair, the latter having an interesting history. The pulpit and chair are of oak, as is the rail about them. On the pulpit is the carved inscription "How beautiful unto us are Thy words, O Lord." The chair came originally from the John street church, with the organ and is carved

Speaks in Praise of Roosevelt

CARACAS, Wednesday, May 28.—President Castro's paper, El Constitucional, for the first time in years has words of praise for President Roosevelt. His speech made at the laying of the corner stone of the new building of the American republic inspired the editorial comment.

"We have arrived then at the hour of community of interest," Roosevelt invites us to the union and inasmuch as this doctrine has overthrown in torrents from the heights of the capitol in Caracas expounded by our magistrate, we now understand that the insuperable barrier which the controversy had raised has broken down and that Roosevelt is drawing near and unfolding on high the flag of fraternity.

Therefore the continental unity of America is established as an inviolable dogma and the principle of the Monroe doctrine appears as an efficient doctrine which could be accepted in the international code as long as it guarantees the interests placed in its care and keeps within the limits of these codes. The attitude of Castro is holding up on high the right of peoples has made the threatening big stick fall from the hands of Roosevelt.

The editorial continues: "We were the first, perhaps, to jump into the ring when we saw the demonstration of President Roosevelt's rage toward the small republics of the south and when in the form of a violent actor nothing escaped from his threats and from his plans of restriction. It was during the long litigation maintained by our foreign office with Washington when the dictatorial tendency of the North American magistrate reached the most alarming proportions; and it was at that time that Castro rising to a level not customary in the vehement denials of his father, and of his prerogatives, obtained in the eyes of the world the greatest height of patriotism which is only obtained by men loyal to the religion of duty and of honor."

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LOWELL CLERKS BURTON'S SPEECH

Grand Outing by the Merchants' Asso'n. Nominating Taft Will Take 20 Minutes

The Merchants' association of Lowell has decided to give its clerks a grand outing on the first Thursday in August or August 6. It is expected that 900 clerks will take the trip. The party will go from Lowell to Chelsea in special cars and after viewing the ruins will cross the city of Boston and will pass out through Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue to Norumbega park where dinner will be served.

The afternoon will be spent in attending the theatre, in the dance hall and in utilizing the various facilities for amusement around the park. There will be a short program of sports including rowing, running and other contests for which suitable prizes will be given. In the evening the return will be made by way of Newton, Waltham and Lexington. Already 1500 jumbo cars, each good for 65 passengers, have been engaged for the trip.

The cars will carry large banners bearing the inscription, "Outing of Merchants' Association, Lowell." The minor details of the outing have yet to be arranged but enough has been done to give ample assurance that the outing will be one of the most successful events ever proposed in Lowell.

The committee in charge is F. C. Garrett of the White store, chairman; Harry G. Pollard of the A. G. Pollard Co., Paul Chaffoux of the J. L. Chaffoux establishment, F. H. Pearson of the Twentieth Century Store and John L. Knowlton of the Lowell One Price Clothing Co.

The entire expense will be borne by the merchants.

TWO WATCHES

WERE PICKED UP BY OFFICER RUMPS.

Mrs. Marie Notman, the well known milliner, lost a valuable silver hunter case watch with a Swiss movement in Merchants' square this morning, but it was returned to her a few hours after she lost it by Patrolman William G. Bumps, who had picked it up on the street.

Patrolman Bumps found another lady's watch on Wednesday which has not been claimed yet. The watch in question is a small chateaufort.

BOY'S CONFESSION

He Says That He Killed His Two Cousins

DEDHAM, June 4.—Antonio Santo, a long walk through the woods and he struck both of them over the head with large stones. He was unable to remember what became of the body of James Martin. Santo cannot fix the exact date of the alleged crime but says it was about March 1st.

The boy was immediately looked up to about an investigation. Chief Sackett communicated at once with the Boston police.

HELD ON SUSPICION.

NORWICH, June 4.—Chief Sackett arrested a young boy, after a search with Young Sackett and took him to the Norwich police station where he is being detained on suspicion. Santo's father was brought to the police station and questioned regarding the boy's confession. The father says that he knows of a family named Martin who lives in Brooklyn but does not know whether they have any children.

Chief Sackett talked with the Brooklyn police over the long distance telephone and a thorough investigation is being made. The boy is being held to make any statement in regard to the case.

Santo is a young boy of about 12 years of age and is of Italian descent. He was found in the woods near the house of his father, who is a well known resident of Dedham.

FUNERALS

DOWNES—The funeral of Walter J. Downes was held yesterday afternoon. Services were held at the Edison cemetery chapel, Rev. A. R. Blits officiating. The bearers were C. L. Stanley, C. H. Holgate, Charles Odell and Arthur Day. Burial was in the Edison cemetery. The floral offerings included a spray of white pinks from Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holgate; spray, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Odell; spray, Mrs. C. Foss; spray, Holgate family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stanley and a wreath, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Stanley. Undertaker Young had charge.

RYAN—The funeral of Miss Mary Ryan took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her home, 108 Humphrey street and was largely attended. Services were conducted by Rev. F. A. Macdonald and there was singing by Mrs. W. H. Ryan and Mr. Harry Hopkins. The bearers were Arnold and Willard Ryan, Robert Walton and Samuel McCord. Burial was in the Edison cemetery. The floral offerings included an anchor on base from Miss Carrie Herrell and Mr. and Mrs. Walton; sheaf of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Ryan and family; bouquet of roses, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ryan and Miss Ethel Ryan; spray, Miss Gladys Walton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. McCord and family; Mrs. H. P. Pettigill and Mrs. R. S. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. R. Courtney, Mrs. M. A. Brown and Mrs. Hutton and Mrs. Berry. Undertaker Young had charge.

BIG FEDERATION

Of the Local Catholic Societies TO BE FORMED TOMORROW

Indications Point to Successful Meeting

In Hibernian hall tomorrow afternoon will be held a convention of Catholic societies with a view to permanently organizing a local federation, and if present plans do not fail the federation will start off tomorrow under most auspicious conditions. The object of the formation of a federation grew out of the St. Patrick's day banquet so successfully conducted by the societies and the suggestion of that committee has been met with a hearty response in all the societies. Seven delegates will represent each society, and Mr. James O'Sullivan, the chairman of the banquet committee will call the meeting to order. The preliminary steps such as the adoption of a constitution and by-laws and the election of permanent officers will be taken up tomorrow. It is believed, though of course permanent officers may not be chosen until the constitution has been prepared and submitted. It is understood that the formation of this local federation is apart from any federation that may now exist. It is to be a local federation distinctively for local societies, and will not be identified with any other body.

A pleasing feature of tomorrow's meeting will be the exhibition of the newly expressed resolutions to Congressmen O'Donnell of Boston, previously referred to in The Sun.

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SCHOOL BOARD

WILL MEET ON LAST TUESDAY OF MONTH

The next regular meeting of the school board will be held on the last Tuesday of the current month which, by the way, will be the last day of the month.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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DEATHS

RICHARDSON—Last night at the home of her parents, No. 18 Stevens street, Miss Ruth, the beautiful daughter of J. Walter and Mrs. Jennie M. Williams Richardson, passed away after a protracted illness.

Aged 18 years and 8 months, deceased had reached the stage when her genial and cheerful nature, her sunny disposition and her charm of gentle, refinement, won for her the admiration and esteem of all those with whom she came in contact. She was beloved by her classmates and teachers at the Highland school, as by her Sunday school associates of the Highland M. E. church, and throughout her illness the thoughtful devotion and attention of her young friends helped to lighten her sufferings and doubtless helped also to inspire her with the rare fortitude which she displayed even when her last hope of recovery had vanished.

Ruth was a young lady of literary tastes and a talented reader, having on many occasions taken part in entertainments to the delight of her parents and friends. Her parents have the profound sympathy of a wide circle of friends in their sad bereavement. Mr. Richardson, the father of the deceased, is a member of the old grocery firm of J. B. Richardson & Sons on Liberty square.

The funeral services will be held at the house at 2.30 o'clock Monday afternoon. Burial private.

HARRIS—The Lowell friends of William L. Harris, son of the late law firm of Burke, O'Brien & Harris, will be pained to hear of the death, which occurred at his home in Nashua, Thursday, June 4, of pneumonia.

The funeral will take place at the church of the Good Shepherd, Nashua, at 4 p. m. Sunday.

SUDDEN DEATH

WILLIAM J. O'DONNELL PASSED AWAY

William J. O'Donnell died very suddenly this morning at his home, 31 1/2 West street. He had been confined in St. Mary's hospital and was 25 years old. He retired last evening apparently in good health and spirits. When he was called at 7 o'clock this morning he was discovered that he was very ill. A physician was summoned but he passed away within a short time, surrounded by the heart being the cause of death. He leaves one brother in Webster. The remains were taken to the home of Horace Ellis & Co.

Prof. Hugh Brown, formerly of this city, now of the naval observatory at Washington, D. C., is in town on a two weeks' vacation.

FUNERAL NOTICES

RICHARDSON—In this city, June 3, Ruth, beloved daughter of J. Walter and Jennie M. Richardson, aged 18 years, 8 months. Funeral services will be held at her late home, 18 Stevens street, Monday, at 2.30 p. m. Friends kindly invited. Burial private. Funeral in charge of Undertaker George Healy.

Hon. Richard Sullivan of Boston was in Lowell yesterday as the guest of John J. Burns of Glendale.

Winchester Boiler

WELCH BROS.

(Sole agents for Lowell)

Telephone Numbers, 25 and 22.

THE WHITE PLAGUE FOUR MEN KILLED

English Doctor Seeks Method to Provide Immunity From it Ten Injured by Accident on the Cruiser Tennessee

CHICAGO, June 6.—Although the scores of physicians who addressed the American Medical Association on the subject of tuberculosis during the last week failed to reach a definite conclusion, the "white plague" is being fought by a number of methods. Dr. W. H. Wells, of the National Association for the Study of Tuberculosis, said that he hoped to establish a method for securing immunity from the disease.

Dr. Wells is still a young man and in his home in Colorado Springs where he went because of his own dream of lung trouble he intends to make his life work the isolation of the tuber-

culosis germ for the purpose of exterminating along lines along toward the establishment of immunity. His report to the association was a brief preliminary statement of his experiments upon mice with the poison of malignant tuberculosis, a deadly disease frequent among hatters and occasionally found in man.

He stated that while his early efforts to prepare his disinfectant subject so that an additional amount of the bacilli could not affect them had not been fruitful, more lately he had succeeded in filling the mice with enough of the germs so that they were immune from attacks of disease. When he has completed his work in this line he said he intends to turn his undivided attention to experiments on tuberculosis cultures injected into guinea pigs.

MORTALITY

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 6, 1908.

Population 30,500. Total deaths 23. Deaths under 10 years 9. Acute lung diseases 4. Death rate: 1908 against 1918 and 11.25 for previous two weeks. Infectious diseases reported: Typhoid fever 2, scarlet fever 2, diphtheria 1, measles 2. Board of Health.

MEXICAN SENATE

VOTED \$25,000,000 FOR IRRIGATION WORK.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 6.—The bill providing for the appropriation of \$25,000,000 for the building of irrigation works through the republic was passed by the senate yesterday. This makes the measure a law. Congress took another step in the protective tariff policy by raising the import duty on iron and steel one percent, per kilo yesterday.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men was held last night and the degree staff performed the ceremony of initiation on two pale-faces. Brother Harry A. Parker had charge of the electrical and mechanical effects. The warriors' degree will be exemplified at the next meeting.

A circular was received from the great C. of R. Alexander Gilmore of Boston giving an interesting account of the order in this reservation. There were long talks by Past Great Sachem J. G. Connor of Lynn on supreme affairs and Brother Algy Holt of Squamett Tribe, R. of East Jaffrey, New Hampshire on degree work.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

Loyal Victoria lodge, I. O. O. F., M. T. U. held its regular meeting in Griffin hall, Merrimack street, Thursday night when the regular routine of business was transacted. Four new members were initiated. There was a committee appointed to take charge of Memorial Sunday which takes place on the second Sunday in July.

ECHO LODGE, N. E. O. P.

Echo lodge, No. 41, N. E. O. P., met last night in regular form. Routine business was transacted and one application for increase of insurance was considered. An invitation from Talbot lodge, to attend their 40th anniversary was read and accepted.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

This Spring

FOR YOUR APPETITE

Is the wisest prescription you can take. It is a perfectly safe, pure, reliable medicine—in which no change was necessary to comply with the Pure Food and Drugs Act.

Composed of the choicest ingredients for purifying and vitalizing the blood, for restoring the appetite and promoting healthy digestion.

Just now it is a favorite in thousands of homes as a general Spring Medicine. Get a bottle today.

NOTICE

The I. O. O. F. M. U.

will hold their memorial services on Sunday, June 7, at 10 p. m. Members are requested to meet at Griffin hall, Merrimack street, with dark clothes, white gloves and hats. Members having relatives are requested to have service. A large attendance is desired.

W. H. Wells, secretary.

R. M. Sisk, chairman.

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A. H. Schultz, 40 years old, Baltimore. POLICE PATROLMAN SCHRIENER, 40 years old, employed by the railway company at Academy Junction. Unidentified white woman, about 25 years old, said to be from Baltimore, and dressed in a ball costume. ZACH O'NEAL, 25 years old, New York, motorman of one of the wrecked cars.

RUTH SLAUGHTER, 6 years old, daughter of General Traffic Manager Wm. E. Slaughter of the road. J. W. McDaniel, Baltimore. GEORGE WHITE, Baltimore.

The others were or less seriously injured are: Thomas Williams, R. B. Williams, Harry Jacobson, Mrs. A. H. Schultz, Mrs. McDaniel, State Sen. P. J. Campbell, his daughter, Miss Minnie Campbell, W. W. White and Mrs. White, Fred W. Schless, and J. H. Dennis, colored, all of Baltimore; Judge James R. Brashear, Thomas Wilson and William Fine of this city; Miss Van Meter of Martinsburg, W. Va., and ———— Widows, motorman of one of the cars.

The unidentified woman who was killed is believed to be Miss Harris of Philadelphia. She and several of those injured were on their way to this city to attend the graduation ball at the naval academy. The wreck occurred on a curve, which prevented the motorman of the cars from seeing more than a short distance ahead. It is said that the car from Baltimore was ordered to wait on a siding at Rests Gate, the station beyond Camp Parole, for the other car to pass. Why these orders were not carried out has not been ascertained.

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Thieves Robbed McDonald Bros' Saloon

Thieves broke into McDonald Brothers' saloon at the corner of Coburn street and Lakeview avenue early yesterday and secured about \$15 in change which had been left in the register over night.

Entrance into the place was gained through a cellar window after which a portion of a back of a man was seen to take the cash register with them, but they were evidently frightened by some person passing outside the window.

THIRD READING

Spanish War Vets Bill is Favored

BOSTON, June 6.—The bill to give veterans of the Spanish war a preference in the employment of the state over all persons except veterans of the civil war and women was ordered for a third reading in the house yesterday, 54 to 22, on a rising vote.

Mr. Cushing of Boston opposed the bill, declaring that it completely wiped out the spirit of the civil service rules and worked an injustice to every laboring man in the commonwealth.

Mr. Lonsness of Boston opposed the bill to provide that the commonwealth care for Boston's insane. He thought it unfair that Boston should have only one citizen on the board of three to fix the value of property taken for a new asylum. He favored an amendment by Mr. Brisley of Boston to provide a trial before a jury on the question of value. The Brisley amendment was rejected, 26 to 48.

AGED OFFICER

WHO ARRESTED JESSE POMEROY TO BE RETIRED

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\$25 For a Letter

Can You Write One?

Eight Prizes to be Awarded in a Letter Writing Contest Open to Everyone in Massachusetts

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THE PRIZES.

The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., of Schenectady, N. Y., will award a prize of \$25.00 for the best letter received on or before June 13, 1908, from the state of Massachusetts, on the subject, "Why I Recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." A prize of \$10.00 will be awarded for the second best letter received, a prize of \$5.00 for the third best, and five prizes of one dollar each for the next best five letters.

THE CONDITIONS.

The cure or benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills described in the letter may be in the writer's own case or one that has come under his or her personal observation.

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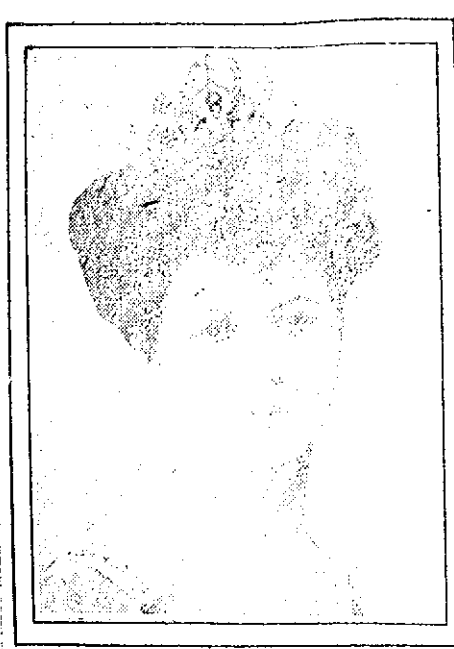
Mrs. H. S. Kip of New York, who was Miss Frances Coster Jones, is one of the most accomplished singers in metropolitan society. She has studied abroad and is reputed to be contemplating a trip to Paris, where she expects to take up the higher branches of the art. Mrs. Kip knows the soprano role so perfectly that she could at a moment's notice sing the part of Gilda, Violetta, Mimi or Maud. She is a daughter of Mrs. Louis Quenlin Jones and is understood to be interested in music for its own sake, with no intention of appearing on the stage, on which those who have heard her assert that she would shine as a prima donna.

Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, now the Countess Szechenyi, is another member of the fashionable set whose singing voice would earn her a living should her millions take to themselves wings. She was the pupil of Jean de Reszke in Paris, which is a sufficient recommendation of the quality of her voice, as he will accept none but promising pupils.

Miss Frances H. Ives, daughter of Brayton Ives, president of the Metropolitan Trust company of New York, is a charming singer. The Iveses live in East Thirty-ninth street, a region now deserted by the more pushing members of the smart set and given over to those conservative families who care more for convenience than fashion and the glittering attractions of upper Fifth avenue. Miss Ives has improved her voice abroad under the best masters, and her friends believe that her talent would insure her success as an operatic star.

Mrs. Grenville Sempie Snelling, wife of the well known New York architect, is another of the society singers whose accomplishments are ranked as equal to those of most professionals. Mrs. Snelling was Miss Margaret W. Anthon, a member of a family devoted to music.

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ciety belongs to Mrs. Ruthertford Stuyvesant, who has more claim to be considered an aristocrat than most of her associates, for she was before her marriage to Mr. Stuyvesant Countess Mathilde de Wassenac de Paris and is a woman of great charm and intellect. Her voice is a rich mezzo soprano, and it was cultivated by Jean de Reszke. Mr. Stuyvesant's marriage to the beautiful countess, who is his second wife, was one of the fashionable weddings for a few seasons ago in Paris.

Mrs. Foxhall Keene, who was Miss Mary Lawrence of New York and is a member of the fashionable hunting set, is a talented singer, and her beautifully cultivated voice is heard only by her very intimate friends. Miss Lucille Thornton of New York is an excellent contralto. Mrs. Chancery McKee, wife of the Wall street broker, is another distinguished society vocalist. As Miss Julia Draper she was immensely popular on account of her personal charm and lovely voice. Mrs. Nicholas Fish, now seen more frequently in Washington than in New York society, is an accomplished musician and talented vocalist. As Miss Clemence Bryce she was considered one of the finest singers in society.

Mrs. Ben Thaw of Pittsburg, so long identified with the New York and Newport sets that she may be classed with them, is a charming singer. Her voice is a light soprano, and she uses it with remarkable effect. Her singing of ballads is particularly creditable.



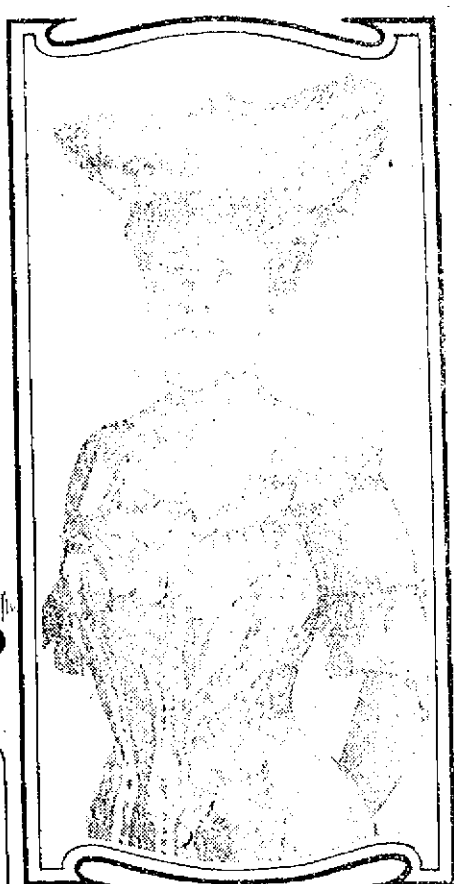
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No ladies in New York society have a larger right to the title of patroness of music than Miss Mary Callender and Miss Caroline de Forest, who live together in a delightful home in East Seventy-second street. There on their evenings at home they entertain all that is best in the social and musical sets of the city. Great singers who will condescend to open their lips when also save for a chosen few are willing to sing for these delightful hostesses, who are themselves finished musicians. It was Miss Callender who founded the Symphony club, and with Miss de Forest, she is always to be seen at the opera when anything specially new or fine is to be presented.

One of the most musical households in New York's fashionable circle is that of the Havemeyers. The late Henry O. Havemeyer was a fine violinist and especially devoted to music. It was his joy when there was a family reunion to play second in the amateur orchestra which could be recruited from the various talented members of the Havemeyer connection, some of whom were accomplished players on several instruments, while others were finished singers. The late Theodore Havemeyer was also musical. The music room in the Havemeyer mansion was supplied with a great variety of instruments, from a harp to a kettledrum. Mr. H. O. Havemeyer was interested in collecting violins. There are no more liberal patrons of music than the Havemeyers, and when not in mourning they are among the most regular attendants at the opera. The various branches of the family, includ-



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ing Mrs. William Butler Duncan, who was Miss Blanche Havemeyer; Mrs. Louis J. Belloni, who was Miss Kate B. Havemeyer, and her daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Griffith and Mrs. George E. McLaughlin; Mrs. William R. Willcox, who was Miss Martha Havemeyer; Mrs. Cameron McCrea Winslow, who was Miss Theodore Havemeyer; and Mrs. Ed Clarkson Potter, who was Miss Emily Havemeyer, are all excellent musicians. So is Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer, Jr., who was Miss Charlotte Whitman and has very pronounced artistic tastes.

The Rockefellers form another musical family. Mr. John D. Rockefeller is a great violinist, and all the more famous of his family are musical. Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, who is a finished singer and pianist, daughter, does much to foster a taste for music in the smart set of the city. Her own acquisitions on the piano before her husband decided upon their final suitability for the opera. The musicals have during the past season been the fashionable form of entertainment. Society is a bit tired of teas and receptions, and it is now the

thing to aspire to be musical even if only in the home. Ladies like Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, who are themselves truly musical and have inherited in part at least, have given to their friends some entertainments which it would be difficult to surpass for any society gathering, for the proceeds of many of these artists at our concert would have taken the resources of a city. No more managers and promoters are there, and ending the great stars of society to meet the necessities of the opera or the dramatically informed hosts that they do not mind drawing room. If it is the charm of the musical is to opportunity it affords the aspect of meeting the singers and seeing just how they talk and act off the stage. Mrs. Clarence Mackay of New York has given a number of other fashionable women, among them Mrs. Edith Wharton, the author of "The House of Mirth" who is extremely musical.

Mrs. Edward I. Knicker and Mrs. Joseph H. Widener are among the most musical of the many musical women in metropolitan society. Mrs. Knicker has been for some time the Philadelphia club to give concerts at social features. Mrs. Widener is a great patron of opera and music in general. She is the wife of the theatrical manager and was Miss Ella Parson of the well known Quaker City family of that name.

The most musical woman in Washington society is Mrs. William H. Taft. Her musical education extends along many lines, and there are many persons who consider her the most accomplished amateur musician in the country. She is a fine pianist, singer and has a wide knowledge of music and musical history. If Mrs. Taft moves into the White House musicians will be told there, and the music room will be her favorite apartment. Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, the husband, is very fond of music. His generosity in giving organs to the public is fostered by her. While not a brilliant performer on the piano, she has a thorough understanding of music and is a discriminating critic. Mrs. Reginald de Koven, wife of the composer, is an accomplished musician as well as pianist. Her husband accords her the credit for many helpful suggestions in composing his operas.

The late Frederick Ranken, the gifted young dramatist of "Nancy Brown," "Happily Ever After," "The Student King" and many other successful plays, was a great admirer of music. He was particularly fond of the assistance which he received from his lovely wife, Harriet Mc Cormack of Chicago, who is a finished singer and pianist. Mrs. Ranken was Miss Cora Townsend and has the Townsend cleverness for music in the smart set of the city. Her own acquisitions on the piano before her husband decided upon their final suitability for the opera. The musicals have during the past season been the fashionable form of entertainment. Society is a bit tired of teas and receptions, and it is now the

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HAIRDRESSERS are complaining bitterly against the rows of puffs that are now so much in vogue. "The business of marcelling has fallen off enormously," one of them said to me. "A lady can easily wear her own front hair, and when she pins a row of puffs across the back of her head it conceals perfectly the straight hairs. Also the department stores are selling puffs (made of bleached Chinese hair) for as low as 60 cents. Good quality hair is not an essential of puffs, while it is of switches. You have to pay from \$10 to \$15 for a good switch. But women aren't using them any more. They buy instead two or three rows of puffs and cover their heads with them."

What he says is perfectly true. Let me tell you how most New York women are fixing their hair at present. When she unbraids it in the morning, Mme. Up-to-date buries her head down and lets the hair fall all around her face. Then, taking a brush dipped in brilliantine, she brushes her hair vigorously downward from the scalp. No one I know with good hair ever brushes it back over the forehead. It makes the hair lie flat and grow thin at the temples.

Still holding the hair downward, madame then pins all around her head what is called a "transformation." This is short curly hair sewed on a tape the exact measure of the head. The curly hair is covered with longer wavy hair the exact match of the wearer's own. She secures the tape front and back with a hairpin. Then, still brushing with the brush dipped in brilliantine, she gathers up her hair over the transformation into a pompadour. This pompadour should be rather wide at the sides and flat on top. Fastening a rubber band around the hair that is left close to the head, she then proceeds to braid the long strands and pin them very flat to the top of her head. Back of this braided arrangement comes a row of puffs starting midway on each side, and between the puffs and the braided part comes a plain, stunning back comb. The loose hairs are held up at the back by a shell pin to match, and this has a patent snap. Over all goes a large invisible hair net. The effect is stunning.

Some women part the hair in front, rolling it over in puffs at the sides and having the ornate back effect the same.

as I have described. This is splendid for a tall woman with a delicately modeled face.

When I see a woman who makes a bad business of dressing herself I generally find that as a child she was not educated by her mother to pick out her own things with good taste. And also when I find a wife who cannot make both ends meet on her allowance inquiry reveals the fact that as a child and a young woman she had no allowance, and so as her experience in managing money dates only from her marriage you can hardly blame her for doing badly.

What a mistake some mothers make! Can you expect a girl to have good taste when it has never been trained? And let me tell you this. Every child from the age of ten years should have an allowance, even if it is only a quarter a week. Out of this she should

be made to pay certain things—to be responsible for them. The allowance is gradually increased until, by the time the girl is eighteen, she is buying all her own clothes and using good judgment in their selection, too, because she knows she must wear them a certain length of time and that if she makes a mistake she must stand by it; no one will come to her rescue.

That's the idea—teach the child to "manage" and have a sense of responsibility early in life, and you have given it a fair start toward success and happiness.

Here's another way in which the mother can help—I have mentioned it before, but it is so important it will bear repeating—and that is by helping the teacher out of school hours. The pupils who succeed the best are those fortunate ones whose parents take an interest in their studies.

Draw from the child an account of what it has actually learned that day. This is the best way of fixing it in the memory.

Bring out the practical side of what it has studied. Sometimes when the teacher has a large class she is too busy to do this. At other times she lacks the faculty of making practical applications.

Make the child feel that it is not so much the book knowledge itself that counts, but the ability to make use of it in practical everyday life.

Many a fine education has been wasted and forgotten before it could be put to any use because the pupil did not see the point of what she learned. She had no one to point out to her how she could apply her knowledge to her own needs and make thereby her life broader and more useful.

Let me tell you a story. Little Betty, eight years old, had just learned to sew. Her mother said to her, "Well, Betty, now that you know how to sew, how is it going to help you?"

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And yet you hear of it every day. The wise woman neither does business through her friends nor does she interfere in their business. Friendship should be sacred and kept apart from all else. Don't inflict your troubles on your friends; don't criticize them or

give "good advice" or repeat unkind remarks.

Keep friendship pleasant. The wise woman, whether married or otherwise, is the one who has some other interest in life besides love.

I don't mean that she should cut out the latter, but that she ought to refuse to make it the sum total of her existence. We have all met the sentimental girl. When she thinks she is in love, when she reads she reads romance, and when she does anything it is nearly always with an eye to a sentimental result. She is in love, but she goes ahead and makes a fool of herself.

The divorce courts are full of her. She is either a correspondent or a complaining wife. As I said, she makes all the trouble in the world, this silly woman who has too much time on her hands because her sole interest in life is love.

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She is perfectly maddening because she has no conversation, no interest in the outside of sentiment. If he tries to get a little variety she weeps and sobs. If he refuses to provide "stush" and reads romance, and when she does anything it is nearly always with an eye to a sentimental result. She is in love, but she goes ahead and makes a fool of herself.

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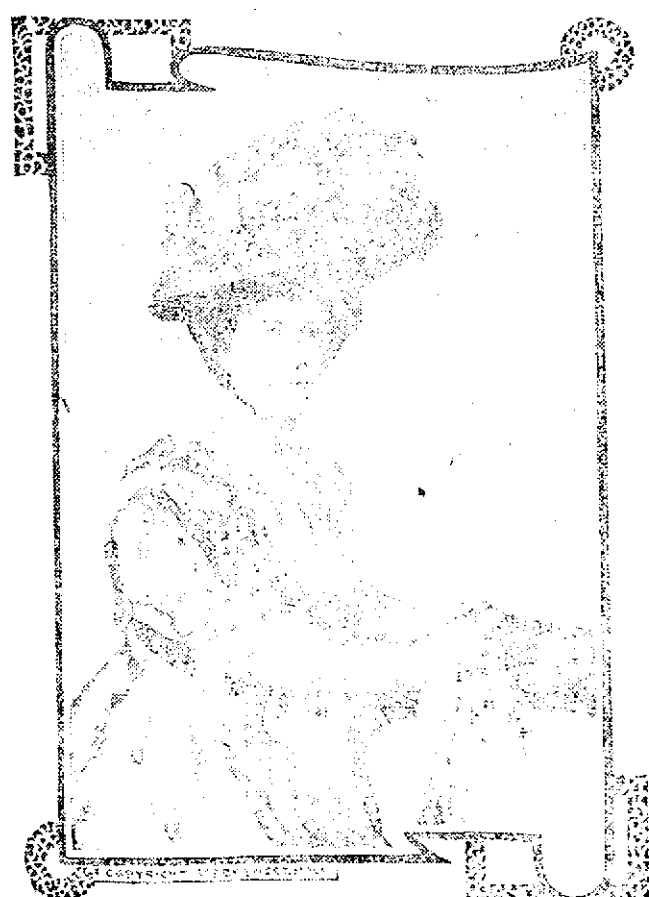
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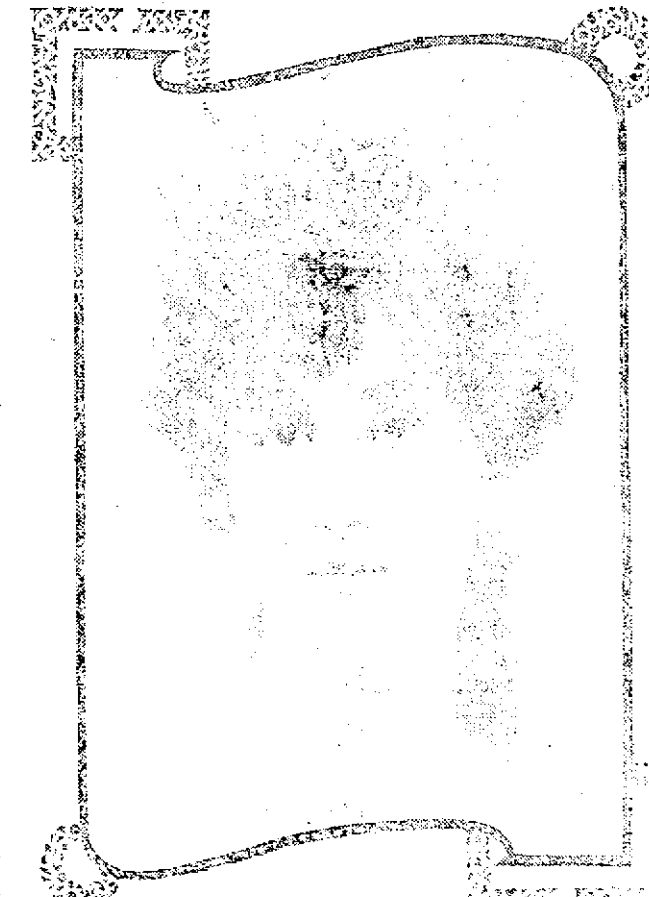
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CHICAGO, June 6.—Although the scores of physicians who addressed the American Medical Association at the subject of tuberculosis during the last week limited their predictions to the checking of the "white plague" through hygienic methods, a confident young Englishman, Dr. Gerald B. Webb, told the National Association for the Study of Prevention of Tuberculosis that he hoped to establish a method for securing immunity from the disease.

Dr. Webb is still a young man and in his home in Colorado Springs where he went because of his own dread of lung trouble he intends to make his life work the isolation of the tuber-

closus germ for the purpose of experimenting along lines aiming toward the establishment of immunity. His report to the association was a brief preliminary statement of his experiments upon mice with the poison of malignant anthrax, a deadly disease frequent among brutes and occasionally found in man.

He stated that while his early efforts to prepare his disinfective subject as an additional amount of the bacilli could not affect them had not been fruitful, more lately he had succeeded in filling the mice with enough of the germs so that they were immune from attacks of disease. When he has completed his work in this line he said he intends to turn his undivided attention to experiments to tubercle bacilli injected into guinea pigs.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 6.—Four men were killed and ten injured on board the armed cruiser Tennessee at sea yesterday, when a boiler tube broke, hurling fragments of iron about the engine room and filling it with scalding steam. The accident happened an hour after the cruiser left Santa Barbara on her way to

San Francisco. The four men who were killed were struck dead at their posts. The survivors were injured in the engine room adjoining the fire room. The survivors were injured in the engine room adjoining the fire room. The survivors were injured in the engine room adjoining the fire room.

vision and had been under way for over two hours, the engines, boilers and all machinery working perfectly and fully equal to the acceptance trial.

The boiler was of the standard, tubular kind, the Babcock and Wilcox make, used on many warships. It consists of a large cluster of four-inch tubes carrying water into the main boiler, and this one of the bottom tier, exploded.

The break was less than six inches in length. There was no wreckage, but the explosion was described by the survivors as frightful. So great was the blast of steam and smoke that every man in the room was blown from his feet, while those closest to the break were cooked alive. There are 16 similar fire rooms but each is separated by steel doors and the men in adjoining compartments did not feel the explosion. When the first outside rescuers entered the fire room it was in utter darkness, the steam and soot covering the electric lights and ceiling and walls with a thick coat. The men in this fire pit work naked except for short trousers and slippers, and the dead and injured were blackened almost beyond recognition. The boys dropped all over the room

stayed at their posts to the last. The accident served to demonstrate the complete efficiency of the naval fire drill. There was no confusion.

At a late hour last night, Stenmatta and Maxfield were expected to die at any time.

Rear Admiral Sabre, when seen on board by a representative of the Associated Press said:

"The explosion was one of those accidents which cannot be prevented."

NIGHT IN JAIL

Raymond Hitchcock Behind Prison Bars, LAWYERS TRY FOR HIS RELEASE

Jerome May Agree to His Liberation

NEW YORK, June 6.—Counsel for Raymond Hitchcock were prepared today to make a determined effort to save their client from a Sunday in the Tombs. When his trial on charges preferred by several little girls was suddenly interrupted yesterday by adjournment until Monday he was denied the right to have continued the bail bond upon which he had been at liberty. Justice Goff took the ground that the bail had been forfeited when Hitchcock presented himself for trial and that it could not be renewed without the consent of the district attorney. This consent his counsel was unable to gain yesterday and as a result the comedian spent the night behind prison walls.

There were several avenues open to the lawyers who would bring about Hitchcock's release. First, there was the possibility that Mr. Jerome might grant permission withheld by his assistant, Mr. Garvan, yesterday to have the bail bond continued. Failing in that the attorneys might appeal to the court to show why their client should be subjected to what they contend is unnecessarily severe treatment. It seemed likely that in the latter event Hitchcock's attorneys would have the assistance of counsel for Carl Fischer Hansen, a well known lawyer, who is under indictment and will appear for trial before Justice Goff next week.

They desire a court ruling on the question of bail pending trial before their case is called as they foresee a possibility of Fischer Hansen being committed to prison during his trial unless some immediate steps are taken to prevent it.

MORTALITY

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 6, 1908.

Population 98,390, total deaths 32, deaths under five 9, acute lung disease 4.

Death rate: 17.51 against 18.18 and 11.23 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Typhoid fever 3, scarlet fever 1, diphtheria 4, measles 22. Board of Health.

MANY ATHLETES

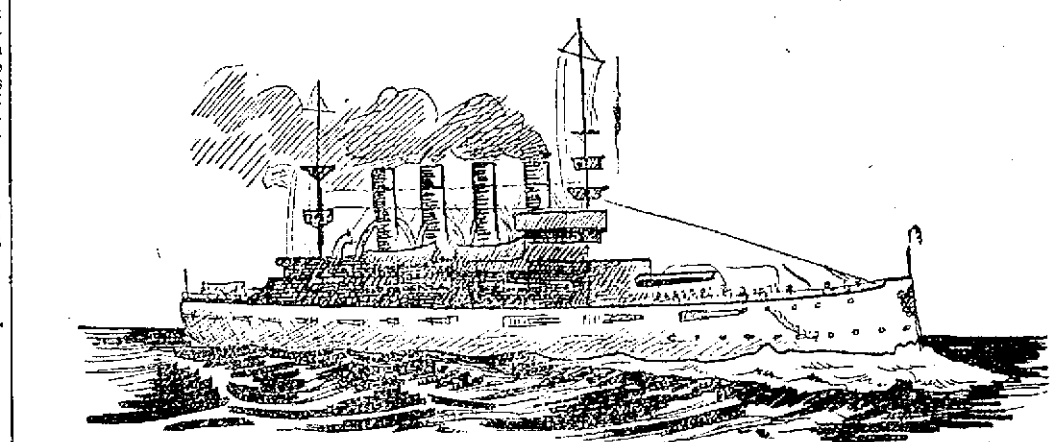
At Philadelphia to Select a Team TO REPRESENT THE UNITED STATES At the Olympic Games in London in July

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—More than 300 athletes, including nearly all of the inter-collegiate champions, are here to participate in the try-outs to be held on Franklin field at the university of Pennsylvania this afternoon for the purpose of picking a team to represent America at the Olympic games scheduled for London in July. Nearly all of the Amateur Athletic Union champions are also entered and the meet besides being important as one which will show who is the best individual athlete, will dissolve itself into a contest between the club and college representatives. Nearly all of the athletes who won places in the inter-collegiate meet at the university of Pennsylvania last Saturday are among the participants, and on the showing made by them in the mud and rain it is predicted that with anything like favorable conditions, some of the American and Olympic records will be broken. The one great regret is that Shaw, the Dartmouth hurdler, and French, Alcott and Trube, who helped win the championship for Cornell last week, have announced their inability to get here because of examinations.

Probably the single event which is attracting the most attention is the 100 meter dash. This will bring together Carlomag, of Pennsylvania, Reeder of Virginia, Ramsdell of Texas, Stevens of Yale, and Robertson, Keating and Cloughan of the Irish-American Athletic club of New York. Half a score more are entered in the event, but it seems certain that the race will be between these named. Those same leaders will contest in the 200 metre dash.

The program for the day includes twenty events. Because of the length of the program and the many entries, the first trial will be called for at 1 o'clock, and it is expected that the entire afternoon will be taken up. Friends of the clubmen and college champions are here from all sections of the east, and a large crowd is expected to witness the contests.

The weather this morning was cool and cloudy, and if these conditions continue throughout the day, a fast track is probable.



U. S. CRUISER TENNESSEE ON WHICH THE ACCIDENT OCCURRED.

six other vessels of the Pacific fleet to Los Angeles.

Only the most fragmentary news of the disaster had been received up to 7 o'clock last evening, for the cruiser had not yet arrived at San Pedro.

What meagre details have been learned were gleaned from official wireless dispatches, transmitted from the squadron to the wireless stations at San Francisco.

The cruiser was steaming at full speed when the explosion occurred. The force of the explosion was terrible, and many of the injured were fatally hurt, it is believed.

Orders were flashed to Dr. W. A. Weldon, local marine surgeon at San Pedro, directing him to prepare for the care of the injured sailors. According to the wireless dispatches, no officers were injured. The damage to the ship is not known at this time, but it is likely that the boiler rooms of the ship have suffered seriously.

The seamen were not landed until this morning, when they were taken ashore at San Pedro and brought to the marine hospital at Los Angeles, where arrangements had already been made to receive them.

Several of the other cruisers of the fleet arrived at Long Beach, Redondo and other ports, ahead of the Tennessee and it was evident that the ship had been considerably disabled by the accident. The Tennessee is Admiral Sabre's flagship, commanding the second division of the Pacific fleet.

The dead:

George Wood, water tender, Scranton, Pa.

W. C. Boggs, second class fireman, Woodlawn, Ala.

A. Reinhold, machinist's mate, second class, Germany.

George W. Meek, first class fireman, Skidmore, Kansas.

Fatally injured:

S. S. Stenmatta, first class fireman, Norfolk, Va.

F. S. Maxfield, second class fireman, Toughkeena, Chester county, Penn.

Slightly injured:

E. J. Burns, coal passer, New York.

Walter S. Burns, coal passer, Brooklyn, N. Y.

J. P. A. Carroll, second class fireman, Hartford, Conn.

Slightly injured:

R. W. Watson, fireman, second class, East St. Louis, Ill.

R. E. Rutledge, coal passer, Athens, Ga.

G. M. Cernis, fireman, second class, Boston, Ohio.

N. Hayes, water tender, Brooklyn, N. Y.

H. Fitzpatrick, fireman, first class, Brooklyn, N. Y.

A blast of white steam from the ventilators told those on deck of the accident, and Lieut. Commander S. S. Robinson, the navigator, instantly sounded a general alarm and dropped twenty lines of hose ready for instant use in case of fire. Within the damaged fire room, number 3, amidships, on the starboard side, which is one of the sixteen enclosed fire compartments, the surviving seamen were fighting for life. Reinhold and Meek

turn on the water. Several of the crew behaved with heroism and will be reported to the department later when full particulars are known.

The ship was undergoing inspection by the commander of the second division and none knew what had happened. Those who were able to scramble to their feet opened the door when the compartment cleared and began



REAR ADMIRAL URIEL SABRE WHO HAD A NARROW ESCAPE FROM DEATH.

When the smoke came from the fire dragging the boys out. The impression among the officers and crew is that Reinhold and Meek first order and in a few seconds fifteen were martyrs to duty, for they were to twenty times of those were ready to found dead where others escaped and

MEXICAN SENATE

VOTED \$25,000,000 FOR IRRIGATION WORK.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 6.—The bill providing for the appropriation of \$25,000,000 for the initiation of irrigation works through the republic was passed by the senate yesterday. This makes the measure a law. Congress took another step in the protective tariff policy by raising the import duty on iron and steel one per cent, per kilo yesterday.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Passaconaway tribe of Red Men was held last night and the degree staff performed the ceremony of adoption on two pale-faces. Brother Harry A. Parker had charge of the electrical and mechanical effects. The warriors' degree will be exemplified at the next meeting.

A circular was received from the great C. R. of Alexander Glanville of Boston giving an interesting account of the order in this reservation. There were long talks by Past Great Sachem J. G. Connor of Lynn on sundown affairs and Brother Algy Holt of Squantum tribe, 42, of West Jeffrey, New Hampshire on degree work. At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

Loyal Victoria lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U. held its regular meeting in Grafton hall, Merrimack street, Thursday night when the regular routine of business was transacted. Four new members were initiated. There was a committee appointed to take charge of Memorial Sunday which takes place on the second Sunday in July.

ECHO LODGE, N. E. O. P.

Echo lodge, No. 41, N. E. O. P., met last night in regular form. Routine business was transacted and one application for increase of insurance was considered. An invitation from Talbot lodge, to attend their 25th anniversary was read and accepted.

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NOTICE

The I. O. O. F. M. U.

will hold their memorial services on Sunday, June 7, at 1:30 p. m. Members are requested to meet at Grafton hall, Merrimack st. with dark clothing, white cloths and badges. Members having medals are requested to wear same. A large attendance is desired.

H. N. Dean, secretary.
F. M. Sisk, chairman.

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GUESTS ALARMED

BY THE CLANGING OF FIRE BELLS.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Alarm by the clanging of the bells and the smoke which poured from the windows of a hundred guests of the Hotel Albany at Eleventh street and University place were roused from their beds early today. The fire proved to be in a building next door and there was no danger.

The blaze started in the clock factory of Karl Hennrich and though it looked for a while as if it was going to be a big one it was quickly quelled by the firemen with a deluge of water.

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NORTHFIELD CONFERENCE.

A feature of the Christian Workers' conference at East Northfield this season will be an afternoon session during the week beginning August 2 on men's organizations within the church, including brotherhoods, Bible classes and similar associations. A number of prominent leaders in this movement have been invited to be present, and the discussions will be directed especially along practical lines, with a view to emphasizing in what ways these organizations may be made most efficient in the work of the church.

A RUPTURE

BETWEEN SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO IS EXPECTED.

CETTINJE, Montenegro, June 6.—The Serbian charge d'affaires left this morning on an indefinite leave of absence. His departure is considered in some quarters as liable to be followed by a complete rupture of the diplomatic relations between Serbia and Montenegro. His departure is an outcome of the testimony heard during the trial of fifty-two persons accused of conspiracy against the Montenegrin government.

Two of the witnesses declared that George, crown prince of Serbia, was directly connected with these plots which came to light through the discovery of a store of bombs in Cetinje to overthrow the existing regime in Montenegro.

WAGE REDUCTION

FOR EMPLOYEES OF AMERICAN THREAD CO.

HOLYOKE, June 6.—Orders have been received at the Merrick and Hadley plants of the American Thread Co. from the general offices in New York for a reduction in the wages of the 2000 employees of the company here, ranging between five and ten per cent. The reduction affects both the regular employees and salaried officers and is effective on Monday. It is believed that the reduction is only temporary and was decided upon rather than curtail the operations of the mills.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Cotton futures opened steady. July, 10.15; Aug. 8.85; Oct. 9.45; Dec. 9.30; Jan. 9.35.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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6 O'CLOCK THE REPUBLICANS

May Select New York Man for Vice President

CHICAGO, June 2.—The republican national committee began its deliberations today with a much smaller attendance of outsiders and a far less apparent interest in the proceedings than was manifested yesterday. The first contest to be taken up was that of the delegates at large from Florida and this was followed by the hearing of the evidence in the contests in the second and third Florida districts. National committeeman Coombs of Florida headed the Taft faction and was assisted by Judge Joseph E. Lee, colored, of Jacksonville, the opening argument for the Taft people being made by M. MacFarlane of Tampa.

The speakers for the anti-Taft element were J. N. Stripling and J. H. Dickerson.

Next on the program were the five districts from Georgia. It was generally thought that contests would be held in six districts from this state but one of them failed to qualify and was dropped.

After Georgia the committee planned to take up the contests in the first, fifth, sixth and eleventh districts of Kentucky.

It was believed by the members of the committee that these three states would occupy the entire time of today's session.

It was said by a number of prominent politicians who were gathered around the committee room before the

LOWELL CLERKS BURTON'S SPEECH

Grand Outing by Merchants' Association Nominating Taft Will Take 20 Minutes

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The amount of time that may be consumed by each nominating and seconding speech at the coming national republican convention at Chicago has caused the prospective orators on that occasion to diligently search the records for precedents. Roscoe Conkling's nomination for Grant for a third consumed twelve minutes and Garfield at the same meeting took but a little more time in placing the name of Sherman before the convention. Ten minutes was required by Robert Ingersoll to nominate Blaine. These three speeches stand out prominently as models in the annals of national conventions.

It is understood that Representative Burton will take twenty minutes in proposing Secretary Taft as the presidential candidate of his party and that Senator Borah will consume not more than six or seven minutes in seconding the nomination.

Other speeches probably will be governed by the same limitations, although the convention allows each speaker to be the judge of the time he may consume in making nominations. When brevity has not controlled orators on such occasions an impatient audience generally has called time on them. The ordeal of speaking in a large auditorium is a still more potent factor in securing short addresses as few men have voices sufficiently powerful to stand the strain for more than ten or fifteen minutes.

The entire expense will be borne by the merchants.

McKINLEY STATUE

This Time They Are Going to Lakeview

PHILADELPHIA, June 4.—In the presence of a large crowd a life size statue in bronze of President McKinley erected on the south plaza of the city hall through private subscription of citizens of Philadelphia and vicinity was unveiled today and presented to the committee by the William McKinley Memorial Association. Following the unveiling dedication exercises were held in the Academy of Music at which James Brock who was assistant attorney general of the United States at the time of President McKinley's assassination was the orator. The statue was the work of Charles Lehoucq, sculptor, now deceased and Alfred Bess, architect.

Prior to the unveiling a military parade was held in Broad street.

WADE ELLIS

HAS DRAFT OF REPUBLICAN PLATFORM READY.

NORFOLK, Va., June 6.—Wade Ellis, attorney general of Ohio who has been at Virginia Beach for several days preparing the first draft of the republican national platform will leave tonight for Washington and thence will go to Chicago.

"The only work that has been done on the platform," said Mr. Ellis today, "has been the attempt to get together in conference some suggestions for the resolutions committee which might be made the basis for work to be done by that committee on that platform. There is no intention of preparing a platform in advance of the meeting of the committee."

work of the day commenced that sentiment on the vice-presidential question seemed to be settling over New York, it being generally considered that it would be wise for the party to take a man from that state. The two most prominently mentioned today in this connection were Secretary Cortelyou and Ren. James Sherman, the chairman of the congressional committee, both of whom are from New York.

At the opening of the hearing in the case of the Florida delegates-at-large Mr. Stripling filed a protest against Frank Hitchcock, Arthur E. Slattery and Charles F. Phelps, respectively manager and employees of the Taft headquarters similar to that presented to the committee yesterday. Mr. Stripling declared that he had no charge of lack of integrity against the three gentlemen but said that he did not believe that men who were acting as manager or employees of any one candidate could be in a proper frame of mind to judge contests in such states as had candidates of their own.

On motion of Mr. Stevens of Colorado the protest of Mr. Stripling was tabled, the committee deciding that the question of the qualifications of Messrs. Hitchcock, Slattery and Phelps had been decided yesterday.

The Taft delegates at large from Florida and the Taft delegates from the second district of Florida were seated today by the national committee.

indications point to a successful meeting.

BIG FEDERATION Of the Local Catholic Societies

TO BE FORMED TOMORROW

Indications Point to Successful Meeting

In Hibernian hall tomorrow afternoon will be held a convention of Catholic societies with a view to permanently organizing a local federation, and if present plans do not fail the federation will start off tomorrow under most auspicious conditions. The object of the formation of a federation grew out of the St. Patrick's day banquet so successfully conducted by the societies and the suggestion of that committee has been met with a hearty response in all the societies. Seven delegates will represent each society, and Mr. James O'Sullivan, chairman of the banquet committee, will lead the meeting to order. The preliminary steps, such as the adoption of a constitution and by-laws and the election of permanent officers will be taken up tomorrow, it is believed, though of course, permanent officers may not be chosen until the constitution has been prepared and submitted.

It is understood that the formation of this local federation is apart from any federation that may now exist. It is to be a local federation distinctively for local societies, and will not be identified with any other body.

A pleasing feature of tomorrow's meeting will be the exhibition of the finely engraved resolutions to Congressmen O'Connell of Boston, previously referred to in The Sun. The work of framing the resolutions was completed today and the entire work is creditably done. Doubtless the delegates tomorrow will be immensely pleased with the work accomplished by the sub-committee on resolutions as well as the finely executed work of Mr. James A. Shanley, whose effort in this particular instance has been favorably commented on by all who have seen the resolutions.

SUDDEN DEATH

WILLIAM J. OSDECK PASSED AWAY

William J. Osdeck died very suddenly this morning at his home, 59 Lee street. He had been employed in the Merrimack mills and was 25 years old. He retired last evening apparently in good health and spirits. When he was called at 7 o'clock this morning it was discovered that he was ill. A physician was summoned but he passed away within a short time, convulsions of the heart being the cause of death. He leaves one brother in Woburn. The remains were taken to the rooms of Horace Elia & Co.

CASTRO'S PAPER

Speaks in Praise of Roosevelt

CARACAS, Wednesday, May 20.—President Castro's paper, El Constitucional, for the first time in years has words of praise for President Roosevelt. His speech made at the laying of the corner stone of the new building of the American republics inspired this editorial comment:

"We have arrived then at the hour of community of interests; Roosevelt invites us to the union and inasmuch as this doctrine has overflowed in torrents from the heights of the capitol in Caracas expounded by our magistrate, we now understand that the insuperable barrier which the controversy had raised has broken down and that Roosevelt is drawing near and unfolding on high the flag of fraternity.

Therefore the continental unity of America is established as an inviolable dogma and the principle of the Monroe doctrine appears as an efficient doctrine which could be accepted in the international codes as long as necessary and the interests placed in its care and keeps within the limits of these codes. The attitude of Castro in holding up on high the right of peoples has made the threatening big stick fall from the hands of Roosevelt."

The editorial continues: "We were the first, perhaps, to jump into the ring when we saw the demonstration of President Roosevelt's rage toward the small republics of the south, when in the form of a violent attack nothing escaped from his threats and from his plans of restriction. It was during the long litigation maintained by our foreign office with Washington when the dictatorial tendency of the North American magistrate reached the most alarming proportions, and it was at that time that Castro rising to a level not customary in the vehement defenses of his fatherland and of its prerogatives, obtained in the eyes of the world the greatest height of patriotism which is only obtained by men loyal to the religion of duty and of honor."

MORE SPOTTERS

This Time They Are Going to Lakeview

The Law and Order league will give its attention to Dracut tomorrow, from all accounts, when it will send a party of spotters to visit the hotels at Lakeview.

It is understood that representatives of the league met with Dracut parties in the city's rifle range in Dracut on Monday night and discussed the liquor situation in Dracut. It is stated that the meeting voted to employ spotters to visit the hotels at Lakeview tomorrow.

GREAT FLOODS

HAVE CAUSED MUCH DAMAGE TO SHIPPING.

BILBAO, June 6.—Floods in the Nervion river have caused much damage to shipping at this port. The steamers Graf and Antonio were carried from their moorings today and crashed into the two sister boats. The four vessels were carried out to sea. No lives thus far are reported lost.

PAPERS ON FIRE

The alarm from box 28, at 12:30 this afternoon was for a blaze in a barrel of old papers in a shed in Cheever street near Allen street, supposed to have been set by children who were playing in and about the shed. No damage.

where he was picked up by officer Bump.

James Prokes, the wrestler, has returned from a profitable western tour during which he met Frank Good, Leo Pardo and Shad Link in hand-to-hand matches. He will remain here for the summer dividing his time between Lowell and Frank Moran's Alameda hotel at Revere beach.

BOY'S CONFESSION JOHN MARCOTTE

He Says That He Killed His Two Cousins Appealed From a House of Correction Sentence

DORHAM, June 6.—Anton Santo, a lad of 14, started Chief of Police Sackett of Norwood, at the close of the session of the northern Norfolk district court today when he declared that he killed his two cousins, James and Frank Martin, in Brooklyn last March. He said that he buried the body of Frank in the woods. He murdered the two boys, he said, by hitting them on the head with stones.

Young Santo told the chief of police that he lived at present with a cousin, Anthony Santo, at 21 Cottage street, East Boston. He said he had been in Boston about a month and had been employed as a water boy on the Norwood sewer. There have been several bicycle thefts about Norwood recently and Santo was brought into court today for examination in connection with them. The session of the court had closed and the chief and several newspapermen were talking with the lad in the court-room when he suddenly said that he wanted to tell them something. He said that he took his cousins for a long walk through the woods and he struck both of them over the head with large stones. He was unable to remember what became of the body of James Martin. Santo cannot fix the exact date of the alleged crime but says it was about March 1st.

The boy was immediately locked up to await an investigation. Chief Sackett communicated at once with the Brooklyn police.

HELD ON SUSPICION.

NORWOOD, June 6.—Chief Sackett arrived here shortly after 1 o'clock with Young Santo and took him to the Norwood police station where he is being detained on suspicion. Santo's father was brought to the police station and questioned regarding the boy's confession. The father said that he knows of a family named Martin who lives in Brooklyn but does not know whether they have any children.

Chief Sackett talked with the Brooklyn police over the long distance telephone and a thorough investigation is being made. The chief declines to make any statement at present. He has arranged to examine several relatives and friends of Santo living in Norwood.

WALKED FROM BROOKLYN.

BOSTON, June 6.—The mother and two little sisters of young Santo were found at their home in East Boston today when they told the confession that the boy had made they left at once for Norwood. Mrs. Santos believes that her son is not guilty of the crime to which he confessed. She says she walked here from Brooklyn a month or so ago.

THE MAYOR'S VETO

Continued.

Magnolia street on the Fourth of July between 5:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., and on the seven days prior thereto, between the hours of 4:00 a. m. and 6:00 a. m., for the purpose of conducting a race of automobiles. I find that it clearly is not within the province of the city government to restrict the use of public highways in the manner proposed, as appears by the following correspondence:

Executive department,
Lowell, May 25, 1908.
James G. Hill, Esq.,
City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:—
I enclose herewith a copy of an order presented for approval, entitled "Order Authorizing Lowell Automobile Club exclusive use of certain highways for speed purposes."

I am interested in the success of the proposed automobile race on the coming Fourth of July, and I am inclined to agree with your opinion on the propriety of its managers all proper authority and rights necessary for the supervision of the course and the control of spectators, but I realize that the city's rights should not be even temporarily suspended in any way that will result in possible damages, and I therefore beg to request your opinion on the legal objections exist to the approval of this order and if its provisions, if approved, would involve the city in any liability in case accidents should occur.

I shall appreciate a reply at your early convenience, as I have but nine days for the consideration of this order.

Respectfully yours,
Frederick W. Farnham, Mayor.

Office of City Solicitor,
Lowell, June 6, 1908.
Hon. Frederick W. Farnham,
Mayor, City of Lowell.

Dear Sir:—
In a communication dated May 25, you have asked my opinion as to whether any legal objections exist to the approval of the order entitled "Authorizing the Lowell Automobile Club exclusive use of certain highways for speed tests" on July 4th, next, between 5 a. m. and 4 p. m., and one of the seven preceding days, between 4 a. m. and 6 a. m.

While the city council has the power to close public ways to travel in certain cases, I do not believe it has the power to enact the order in question without authority from the legislature, and I do not find that any such authority is given.

I find that in two instances the legislature has granted the power to issue permits for riding or driving in the public ways at any rate of speed: the mayor of a city may grant permits to persons to ride bicycles upon specified portions of the public ways, R. L. c. 32, § 2, and the mayor and aldermen may grant permits to drive automobiles or motor cycles in hill climbing contests during a specified time and upon specified parts of the public ways. Acts of 1905, ch. 164.

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The vestry presents an entirely new appearance and one would hardly recognize the old vestry with its great changes that have been made. The main vestry is done in oak with flat colors and tiled walls and ceiling. Comfortable opera chairs give it a large seating capacity. A new feature is the sliding walls that separate the main vestry from the class and other rooms adjoining it. In each of these the walls or partitions slide upward from the four foot wainscoting to the ceiling and are combined into one practically, when occasion requires. These blind walls, and in fact none of the partitions of the vestry are solid but above the wainscoting, are of the silver ripple glass, which aside from its attractive appearance and ventilating properties also diffuses the light to a great extent so as to make the interior most cheerful under any kind of natural light, and entirely removing the gloomy effect found in so many churches. In the centre of the vestry at the farther end from the entrance is the pulpit and the chair, the latter having an interesting history. The pulpit and chair are of oak, as is the rail about them. On the pulpit is the carved inscription "How beautiful unto us Thy words, O Lord." The chair is the sign of the John street church, with the organ and is carved beautifully, the carving being done by Rev. Mr. Dano, a former pastor of the John street church, and as may be seen from his handiwork, an expert in wood carving. Across the top of the chair in ornamental letters is the inscription: "Everything that hath breath praises the Lord." On either side of the chair is the inscription "Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Lord God Almighty" in highly ornamental letters. On the left of the pulpit in the rear is a cosy room for the minister with chapel green finish on the wood work, tiled walls and an ornamental border about the ceiling. Just beyond the minister's room is the new stairway leading to the rear of the Auditorium. Before the fire this was a private stairway and quite narrow, but it has now widened materially. On the other side of the pulpit in the rear are two class rooms done in hard pine finish with tiled walls. Next to them on the Warren street side is the ladies' corner, a cosy corner done in swampland finish with tiled walls and ceiling and with comfortable wicker chairs and a large centre table. Beside the primary room with its diminutive chairs is the little organ. This is done in chapel green and is fitted with blackboards, chairs, desks, etc. There are also adjoining the vestry two lavatories, a large and well equipped kitchen and a serving room, all new in every particular, and rearranged from their old locations so as to be in the nature of big improvements as regards comfort and convenience.

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HELD IN \$500.

Henry Hopkins was arrested yesterday on warrants charging him with larceny of property from Henry J. O'Dowd and Henry O'Brien. In court this morning the complaint made by Mr. O'Brien was withdrawn but the complaint made by Mr. O'Dowd, which included two counts stating that on the ninth of March Hopkins stole a harness valued at \$30 and a blanket valued at \$1, while on the 20th of March it is alleged he stole a carriage pole valued at \$10 and a lantern valued at \$5. Hopkins entered pleas of not guilty on both counts.

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Chief Sackett talked with the Brooklyn police over the long distance telephone and a thorough investigation is being made. The chief declines to make any statement at present. He has arranged to examine several relatives and friends of Santo living in Norwood.

WALKED FROM BROOKLYN.

BOSTON, June 6.—The mother and two little sisters of young Santo were found at their home in East Boston today when they told the confession that the boy had made they left at once for Norwood. Mrs. Santos believes that her son is not guilty of the crime to which he confessed. She says she walked here from Brooklyn a month or so ago.

THE MAYOR'S VETO

Continued.

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Executive department,
Lowell, May 25, 1908.
James G. Hill, Esq.,
City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:—
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I shall appreciate a reply at your early convenience, as I have but nine days for the consideration of this order.

Respectfully yours,
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A. H. Schultz, 40 years old, Baltimore.

POLICE PATROLMAN SCRIBNER, 40 years old, employed by the railway company at Academy Junction.

Unidentified white woman, about 25 years old, said to be from Baltimore and dressed in a ball costume.

ZACH O'NEW, 25 years old, New York, motorman of one of the wrecked cars.

RUTH SLAUGHTER, 6 years old, daughter of General Traffic Manager Wm. E. Slaughter of the road.

J. W. McDANIEL, Baltimore.

GEORGE WHITE, Baltimore.

The others more or less seriously injured are Thomas Williams, E. H. Williams, Harry Jacobson, Mrs. A. H. Schultz, Mrs. McDaniels, State Sen. E. J. Campbell, his daughter, Miss Minnie Campbell, W. W. White and Mrs. White, Fred W. Schless, and J. H. Dennis, colored, all of Baltimore; Judge James R. Brashers, Thomas Wilson and William Fine of this city; Miss Van Meter of Martinsburg, W. Va., and Wadsworth, motorman of one of the cars.

The unidentified woman who was killed is believed to be Miss Harris of Philadelphia. She and several of those injured were on their way to this city to attend the graduation ball at the naval academy.

The wreck occurred on a curve, which prevented the motorman of the cars from seeing more than a short distance ahead. It is said that the car from Baltimore was ordered to wait on a siding at Best Gate, the station beyond Camp Parole, for the other car to pass. Why these orders were not carried out has not been ascertained.

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PRES. MELLEN

And What He Has Accomplished

HIS METHOD OF DOING THINGS

Says He Wants Public Approval of His Plans

It is a European traveling in this country who is to pick up a current newspaper, what impression would he get of the president of the New Haven railroad? He would probably fail to apprehend certain interesting details in the career of Charles S. Mellen.

Who is this man?

First, he is one who, having passed most of his years in New England and served with success and distinction in another field, returns at a time in life when many successful men think of retiring from active business, and undertakes to develop a transportation field which the larger railroad factors have neglected.

In a period when many railroads are condemned for holding human life cheaply, Mr. Mellen so operates the New Haven that since his taking the presidency not a single passenger has been killed in a derailment or collision.

While legislatures in various parts of the country are passing acts to compel passenger rates to be reduced to two cents a mile, Mr. Mellen voluntarily does the two cent rate.

But his trolley lines and extends parallel to the steam lines and everywhere making efforts to increase business by connecting up undeveloped territory. Informed that his trolley holdings are illegal, he offers to do, without a lawsuit, whatever the attorney-general of Massachusetts may suggest.

Learning that trunk line interests are conspiring for the Merchants and Miners' Transportation company, over which shippers at New Haven points enjoy their southern differential rate in competition with the trunk lines, he obtains a half interest in the Merchants and Miners, thus preserving this indirect but cheaper route.

The New Haven act having been interpreted to forbid the use of the northern differential route by the New Haven, the latter has been able to give an alibi to all New Haven territory.

Mr. Mellen makes a contract with the Boston & Maine and the Canadian Pacific by which all New Haven points can use the cheaper northern route via Montreal, notwithstanding that in most cases this gives the New Haven a shorter haul than it would get if the goods went over its own line to the Hudson by the direct and more expensive route.

Mr. Mellen reduces the rates on coal from New England ports to various interior points, at an annual loss to the road of about \$500,000, which through no fault of his, the large companies presently proceed to offset by raising their coastwise rates correspondingly.

Merchants of Boston asking for an outside freight-steamship line to New York, Mr. Mellen puts one on and invites the merchants to make the rates which they do.

Mr. Mellen introduces a liberal policy regarding improvements, concessions and other assistance to industrial establishments.

While other companies are resisting petitions elimination of grade crossings, Mr. Mellen rarely does so, usually joining the petition, and often bringing it himself, with the result that the New Haven spends more than the Boston and Albany combined for this purpose in Massachusetts.

The passenger trains on Mr. Mellen's road more than 10 minutes late are less than 5 per cent. of the whole—a record unsurpassed in the world.

Although the railroads of southern New England have always opposed the competition of a Cape Cod canal, Mr. Mellen gave on the ground that it will help New England manufacturers; and the canal is now under construction.

In the face of the bitter opposition to his plans, Mr. Mellen declines to employ the lobby.

Now, if the traveler from Europe were to compare this record with what has been appearing in the newspapers, he would feel a marvel.

"You accuse," he would exclaim, "of restraining trade a man who constructs new facilities, provides a choice of routes and promotes traffic. You cry out against a man who, regarding trolleys offers to do whatever the attorney-general asks, and regarding the Boston and Maine accepts disfranchisement of his road for a grade, though at the time advised by counsel that prohibition by the legislature would be unconstitutional. You shout political corruption against a man who is not dealing in any way with lobby and who says he will carry out his plans with the approval of the public or not at all. Is it impossible for Massachusetts to get together with a man like this? If not, there must be something wrong with Massachusetts."

And wherein would the traveler err? Mr. Mellen has the ability, the resources, and the disposition to bring untimely benefits to New England, and he has expressed entire willingness to conform his methods to the desires of the Massachusetts people. Then why load him with chains? Is it not barefaced to say that he will do more good at large than in Limbo, both to morals and to business?—Lynn Item.

\$60,000 IN FINES

PAID OVER TO GOVERNMENT BY FOUR DEFENDANTS.

KANSAS CITY, June 6.—Three packing companies and one railroad company, convicted in 1906 of rebating and sentenced to pay fines aggregating \$60,000, yesterday handed to the clerk of the United States court a check for the total amount of their fines, \$60,000. These fines were paid by Armour Packing company, Cudahy Packing company, Swift & company, and the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad company.

There is still a fine of equal amount against the Norris Packing company of this city.

THIRD READING

Spanish War Vets Bill is Favored

BOSTON, June 6.—The bill to give veterans of the Spanish war a preference in the employment of the state civil war and women was ordered to a third reading in the house yesterday, 54 to 32, on a rising vote.

Mr. Cushing of Boston opposed the bill, declaring that it completely wiped out the spirit of the civil service rules and worked an injustice to every laboring man in the commonwealth.

Mr. Lomasney of Boston opposed the bill to provide that the commonwealth care for Boston's insane. He thought it unfair that Boston should have only one citizen on the board of three to fix the value of property taken for a new asylum. He favored an amendment by Mr. Brickley of Boston to provide a trial before a jury on the question of value. The Brickley amendment was rejected, 35 to 45.

The veto of the resolve in favor of the Murphy family of Lynn for land converted to public use was then taken up. Mr. Mansfield of Lynn arguing for passage over the veto. He admitted that the Murphys had no legal claim, but said their moral claim is complete. The veto was sustained by a vote of 47 to 102.

AGED OFFICER

WHO ARRESTED JESSE POMEROY TO BE RETIRED.

BOSTON, June 6.—Patrolman Winslow B. Lutz of division 4, the third oldest man in point of service in the police department, and the officer who arrested Jesse Pomeroy, the murderer, in 1874, will be retired from active service this evening at roll call.

He is retired at his own request, and will hereafter receive a pension of \$600 per annum. Commissioner O'Meara issued the order yesterday.

\$25 For a Letter

Can You Write One?

Eight Prizes to be Awarded in a Letter Writing Contest Open to Everyone in Massachusetts

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been used in this state for a generation. Hundreds of remarkable cures have been reported during that time and there is scarcely a family in which the remedy has not been tried with beneficial results. This furnishes the material for the letters to be written in this contest. There is no demand upon the imagination, every narrative must deal with facts.

THE PRIZES.

The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., of Schenectady, N. Y., will award a prize of \$25.00 for the best letter received on or before June 13, 1908, from the state of Massachusetts, on the subject, "Why I Recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills." A prize of \$10.00 will be awarded for the second best letter received, a prize of \$5.00 for the third best, and five prizes of one dollar each for the next best five letters.

THE CONDITIONS.

The cure or benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills described in the letter may be in the writer's own case or one that has come under his or her personal observation.

More than one cure may be described in the letter, so long as every statement made is literally true.

The letter should be no longer than is necessary to relate the benefit obtained from the remedy in the case described.

Each letter must be signed by the writer with his or her name and full address and the letter must give the correct name and address of the person whose cure is described. THESE WILL BE STRICTLY CONSIDERED.

Letters will not be made public. Letters containing addresses that cannot be verified will not be considered in awarding the prizes.

The writer of each letter must state the name and date of the paper in which he or she saw the announcement of this competition.

Final writing will not win the prize unless you have a good cause to desire. The strength of the recommendation and the style of the letter will be the basis of award.

The contest will close June 13, 1908. Do not delay, but if you know of a cure write your letter NOW. Observe the above conditions carefully or your letter may be thrown out.

Address all letters as follows: Letter Contest Dept., Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

STORE ENTERED

Thieves Robbed McDonald Bros' Saloon

Thieves broke into McDonald Brothers' saloon at the corner of Coburn street and Lakeview avenue early yesterday and secured about \$15 in change which had been left in the register over night.

Entrance into the place was gained through a cellar window after which a portion of a bulkhead was ripped open. It appeared that the thieves intended to take the cash register with them, but they were evidently frightened by some person passing outside the window.

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TWO BILLS HELD UP

By the Committee on Accounts

The committee on accounts met yesterday afternoon for the purpose of approving bills. The committee held up a bill presented by F. B. Hill & Co., for about \$200.

James H. Walker had a bill that was held up. It was for building a chimney on the Favor street school. These bills were held up because the committee considered them excessive.

Charles Clough of the park department had the temerity to spend 20 cents for a sieve and the committee refused to approve the bill until such time as Mr. Clough would account satisfactorily for such extravagance.

INDIAN CLUB

HELD SOCIABLE AND DANCE AT TALBOT HALL.

The fourth annual social and dance of the Indian club of this city was held in Talbot hall, last night. The attendance was very large, there being more than one hundred couples present. Music for dancing was furnished by the Calumet orchestra.

The success of the affair was due to the untiring work of the following efficient officials:

General manager, Miss Mamie Dyer; assistant general manager, Edward Martin; floor director, Ames Burgess; assistant floor director, Hil-dred Phil; chief aid, Lynn Davis; aids, Annie Marren, Leo Evans, Will-he Mullen, Edward Nelson, Julia Foster, George Powers, Nellie Hurley, Joseph Powers, Nellie Hurley, John Doyle, Joseph McCabe, Annie, Horne, Mae Fallon, Eleanor Marren, William Sawyer, Jennie Mortimer, Sylvester Harris, Lauretta Corrigan, Peter Murphy, Annie Holland, Frank Campbell, Margaret Conannon, Annie Maguire, Edith Campbell, Bess Baxter, John Guthrie, Annie Harrington, Edie Doyle, Katie Seymour and Edward McSorley; treasurer, William Rouark.

BILLERICA

The annual meeting of the Bay State Historical league is being held at Quincy this afternoon and present at the meeting are delegates from the Billerica Historical society.

John F. Reilly, night watchman in the Boulker Mfg. Co., was badly burned about the lower limbs Wednesday night by the blowing out of the packing of a duplex pump. The pump was packed with leather which blew out when the machinery was started in motion.

The barcadere exercises of the Mitchell Military Boys' school will be held in the Congregational church tomorrow morning. The sermon will be preached by Rev. J. Harold Dale.

The annual business meeting of the 190 club was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Blaikie on Boston street.

The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Louella M. Bull; vice president, Mrs. Annie S. Tyler; secretary, Mrs. Annah Holden; treasurer, Mrs. Carrie Start. Other routine business in the interest of the club was transacted. Refreshments, ice cream, cake and coffee were served by the hostess at the close of the meeting.

PIANO RECITAL

HELD BY PUPILS OF MRS. MARY G. REED.

The pupils of Mrs. Mary G. Reed held their annual piano recital last evening in Kilson hall. The pupils were assisted by Mrs. Edith Perkins, organist and Miss Leslie Reed, violinist. The program was carefully arranged and carried out in a most creditable manner. The pupils taking part in the recital were:

Everett Dean, Alice Peard, Clara Shay, Myrtle Taylor, May Peard, Alta Leary, Clara Abels, Ruth Bill, Helen Abels, Ella Dean, Mary Lamson and Marion Bill.

DRACUT ITEMS

CLUB LICENSE WANTED BY THOMAS SCULLY.

The citizens of Dracut at the last annual town meeting voted to locate twelve electric lights between Richardson square and the Michael Wheel-ton place on the Manchester road. These lights were to be erected for several years, however, owing to the price asked by the Lowell Electric Light Corporation. The present lights are being furnished at a rate of \$25.00 per light per year, but the company wants \$5.00 per light for the new lights.

Thomas Scully has been granted a club license in a building recently erected by him and which is located close to the place where the old Pine Grove hotel was located.

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WANTED TO DIE

MAN DESPONDENT BECAUSE HE WAS OUT OF WORK.

BOSTON, June 6.—Despondent over his inability to find employment in Boston, Harry S. Boomhour, 21, unmarried, of 243 Cumberland avenue, Portland, Me., attempted suicide about 4.45 o'clock yesterday afternoon in his room on the third floor of the Revere house by slashing his throat and both wrists with a razor.

He was found in an unconscious condition in the hall outside of his room and taken to the relief hospital, where it is said he will recover.

In the room were found a bottle containing some carbolic acid, another receptacle containing laudanum, some broken glass, the blood-covered razor, a small picture of a woman and a receipt for \$5, dated Portland, Me., May 25, 1908, and signed by a prominent business firm of that city.

Lan-Mol cures brown-tail moth rash.

MIDDLESEX CLUB

HELD ENJOYABLE SOCIAL AT ITS HALL.

The lady friends of the members of the Middlesex Social club held a very successful dancing and whist party at the club rooms last night. There were about two hundred present and the members of the gentler sex demonstrated their ability to make the affair a success.

The whist prize winners and prizes given were as follows:

Fred Bechard, a tub of butter; John LaRoque, fruit dish; Clara Gagnon, toilet box; Joseph Prince, bag of flour; George Beauregard, statuette; Lola Renaud, bag of flour; C. Breault, hall rack; Joseph Roberge, load of wood; Mrs. G. Beauregard, milk pinner; David A. Harnett, ham; Mrs. Aubry, a pound of tea; Camille Bellier, fancy pin; Mrs. Poirier, half dozen plates; Rose Lambert, fancy basket; Alex. Poirier, box of cigars; Mr. Blanchard, salt and pepper shakers; Hedwidge Laroche, bottle of muscatel; Mary Bastien, fancy plate; Agnes Belanger, bottle of wine; Philippe R. Bourque, suspenders; Annie Brodeur, bottle of sherry; May Lagasse, bottle of sherry; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Daigneault, bottle of sherry; gold bracelet; Mrs. Edouard Joly, bottle of port wine; Mrs. Corinne Tremblait, box of toilet soap; Annabelle Renaud; salad dish; Fred L'Euyer, cup and saucer; Joseph Saverd; salt and pepper shakers; Mrs. Frank Reeves, glass dish; Louis Joly, lady's hat; Lois Bastien, bottle of syrup; Arthur Brune, armlets; Winnie Trudeau, fruit jar; Lucien Milette, fruit; Ethel Gould, vase; Arthur Davis, vases; Orilla Tremblait, necktie; Marie Elise Lafleur, vase; Oliver Renaud, comb set; Theophile Berard, pair of shoes; Frank Arsenault, bread checks; Charles Roy, vase; Albertina Renaud, shoe brush; Ben Leboeuf, cake; Mabel Bourassa, glass dish; Mrs. Arthur Lafamme, statuette; Bella Woods, collar; Arthur Woods, picture; Eva Lafamme, statuette; Willis H. Beane, glass dish; Mrs. Clement Bastien, dish; Mrs. John Berard, can of corn; Irene Ryan, glass dish; Mrs. Edmond Charbon, can of corn; Mrs. Wm. Renaud, can of corn; Geo. Rivard, picture of the Lowell baseball team; booby, a sausage.

The committees in charge were as follows:

General committee: Mrs. Frank Lawrence, president; John Savard, chairman; Mrs. Edmond Charbon, secretary and treasurer; scores' committee: Mrs. Joseph Savard; Mrs. Arsene Philibert; Mrs. John Renaud; Mrs. Adelard Berard; Mrs. William Renaud; music committee: Frank Lawrence and Henry Bechard; vestry, Adelard Berard and Edmond Charbon; refreshments, Mrs. Adelard Berard and John Berard; dance, William Renaud, general manager; Henry Charbon, floor director; Adolphe Jacques, Joseph Savard, Sylvia Charbon, Alex. Poirier, Lucas Boivert.

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QUIRBACH CASE

Judge Fessenden Decides for Union

Judge Fessenden has handed down his decision in the case of Quirbach vs. Garvey et al., which was heard at the opening of the jury-valued session here. The plaintiff was Mrs. Quirbach, executrix of the will of Geo. Farley, and the defendants were the local Cigar Makers' union. The suit was brought for the purpose of recovering a death benefit of \$500 which the union refused to pay on the ground that George Farley was non-financial at the time of his death. The plaintiff claimed that the organization had paid two sick benefits during Farley's suspension, thereby waiving the by-laws and becoming responsible for the death benefit. Judge Fessenden finds for the defendants, thereby sustaining the finding of the lower court. Peter A. Fay for the plaintiff, James F. Owens for the defense.

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REV. FR. RICHARDS THE STATE TAX SOLEMN REQUIEM IN THE PULPITS

To Preach at St. Peter's Church Will Be Higher Than At St. Patrick's Church

DURING TRIDUUM THIS MONTH

In Honor of the Sacred Heart

A triduum in honor of the feast of the Sacred Heart will open at St. Peter's church on Wednesday evening, June 24.

On Wednesday evening the sermon will be delivered by Rev. Fr. Malley of Charlestown. On Thursday afternoon and evening confessions will be heard. The triduum will come to a close on Friday evening with a sermon by Rev. J. Haven Richards, S. J., the eloquent Jesuit of Boston, formerly president of Georgetown university. On Wednesday and Friday evenings benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be given. The arrangements for the triduum are in charge of Rev. W. George Mullin, parish director of the Sacred Heart league.

LINCOLN CLUB CLAIMS ESTATE

Elected New Officers Last Evening

The Lincoln club reorganized last night. Albert Wilby was chosen president. John Thomas vice-president. Charles A. Spencer treasurer, George B. McKelider financial secretary, and Erson B. Barlow recording secretary. The club was in hard circumstances financially but Eugene G. Russell, chairman of the finance commission, stated last night that the club was on solid financial footing.

Several new members were admitted last night. The total membership is about 200.

The club will be represented at the Mass. republican convention to be held in Boston the week after the Fourth.

There was a large attendance and much enthusiasm.

The next meeting will be held Friday evening, the 12th, at 7:30 p. m.

SCHOOL TEACHER

Placed Pepper on the Tongues of Pupils

NEWINGTON, N. H., June 6.—Charges that Miss Louisa Beane, a school teacher, had placed pepper on the tongues of his two children to keep them from whispering, were filed yesterday with the New Hampshire society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children by Harry DeRochemont. The complaint was made to Dr. James E. May, president of the society, after Mr. DeRochemont had appealed to the town school board without effect. The society will make an investigation.

Miss Beane appeared before the school board and admitted that she had placed pepper on the tongues of Archie and Lawrence DeRochemont. She declared the punishment was not unusual nor severe, and the school board upheld her.

Yesterday she used the same punishment again and the complaint to Dr. May followed. The school board declares that statements of the children at the hearing refuted the charges made by their father.

Mr. DeRochemont said today that the tongues of his sons had become inflamed and that one of them was unable to eat.

MME. ANNA GOULD

WANTS DELAY IN PAYMENT OF \$24,000.

PARIS, June 6.—Counsel for Mme. Anna Gould yesterday applied to the civil tribunal to grant her a delay in the payment of \$24,000 to Mme. Nemi-doff, a singer, for a necklace purchased by her former husband, Count Boni de Castellane, pointing out that her income now is only \$6,000 per month and that it would be impossible to pay such a large sum immediately. The court consented to the payment of \$5,000 each three months to the singer.

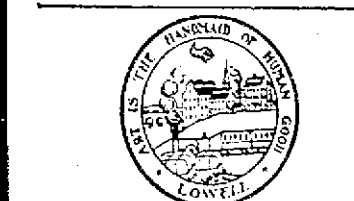
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THE STATE TAX

IN MEMORY OF LATE BISHOP DELANY

The running expenses of the state government for the six months ending on June 1 show an increase over last year of \$1,157,397, and Treasurer Chapin says the state tax will be considerably higher than this year.

It was necessary at the beginning of the present year to raise \$1,000,000 by taxation, and Chairman Luce of the House ways and means committee says \$5,000,000 for next year is a conservative estimate.

Militia department expenses this year show an increase of nearly half a million dollars. About \$416,000 of this is due to payments made by the state to cities and towns for armories taken over.

The expenditure for charitable institutions of all kinds shows an apparent excess over last year of \$317,000, but receipts are larger than usual and reduce the net increase in expenditures to \$216,185.

The increase in the expense of boards and commissions during the six months is \$141,000. Reformatory and correctional institutions claim an increase of \$65,000 over the corresponding period of 1907, while the public buildings have cost \$61,000 more than a year ago.

The only branch of the state service which shows any substantial decrease in the cost of maintenance is the educational department and the state library, the showing being \$39,000 less than during the first six months a year ago.

Judge Northedge After \$150,000,000

BURLINGTON, Vt., June 6.—Judge George W. Northedge, formerly of Marlinton, Wis., came to Burlington yesterday to hunt up the different branches of his family for the purpose of prosecuting a claim to estates of more than \$150,000,000. The estates are located at Montreal and in Wiltshire, England.

Judge Northedge believes he has accumulated genealogical and other evidence sufficient to warrant him in believing that members of his family are entitled to a very large portion of the estate. The claimants include Mrs. Nellie and Eliza Langwin, this city; Charlotte, Geo. Roussell, Point, N. Y.; Mrs. Annie Bailey, Hamilton, Ont.; Mrs. Deach Jones, and Eliza Brooks, Toronto, Ont. and Lucy Vores, Chippewa, Ont.

The father of Judge Northedge was a native of Montreal. He recruited and became colonel of the 59th regiment, New York Volunteer Infantry, and distinguished himself in many engagements.

The son, Judge Northedge, also served in the Civil war. He was a member of company C, 1st Connecticut cavalry, and was three times wounded. He is a prominent G. A. R. man and is also a member of the Masonic fraternity.

LOWELL WOMEN

THEY SEE MERIT IF MERIT EXISTS.

You can fool some women once in a while but you can't fool all the women all the while and you can't fool a Lowell woman a little bit when it comes to home cooking. Since Miss Webber began her lectures at the Lowell Gas Light Co.'s appliance store on John street, she has demonstrated before more than 200 of the women of Lowell. At her last Thursday lecture, people were turned away because of the limited number of square inches at the appliance store. Need more do said? One may ask, what is the Lowell Gas Light Co. gaining by these demonstration lectures? Answer—First, it is winning the good opinion, the good will of housekeepers. Second, it is selling gas ranges and water heaters.

It works like this: At a recent lecture a lady attended, who chanced to drop in without previous intention. She said afterward that she was prejudiced against a gas range owing to the experience of one of her neighbors who falling in results became discouraged, put the gas range aside where it remains unused. The lady listened to Miss Webber, saw her work, became interested, and it is a fact before leaving the appliance store she ordered a gas range for her own kitchen. And now Miss Webber has the street and number of the lady who became discouraged and disordered her range and she will visit there and in her nice way will convince the good lady that the range is all right or if there is anything really wrong will report it to the Lowell Gas Light Co. and the company will make it right. That's business—good business; that's doing things in "the city that does things." Lectures continue next week.

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CARDINAL LOGUE

WAS GIVEN A GREAT SEND-OFF BY FRIENDS.

NEW YORK, June 5.—Cardinal Logue, primate of Ireland, sailed today for Europe on the steamer Campania after a sojourn in this country of five weeks which he declared to have been among the most eventful of his long life.

The excursion steamer Glia with a number of distinguished churchmen on board, including Archbishop Farley, together with a large delegation of laymen and a band escorted the Campania down the bay, giving the prelate a last goodbye. Cardinal Logue was accompanied by the Right Rev. Bishop Brown of Cloyne, the Very Rev. T. Quinn, Rev. Father Brown and Rev. P. Quinn. Upon arrival in Ireland the prelate will at once resume the duties of his see at Armagh.

MASTER PAINTERS MET.

The master painters and decorators held a largely attended meeting last night. M. D. Clay presided. It was voted to hold a banquet June 18. Speeches were made by G. E. Buckley, F. H. Callahan, G. W. Chase, F. G. Baldwin, John Holgate, H. C. McKosker, C. F. Fawcett, M. D. Clay.

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Booklet of His Poems Issued by His Sisters

Thursday, June 11th, will be the second anniversary of the death of the Right Reverend John B. Delany, D. D., the beloved and lamented second bishop of Manchester, N. H. At Lowell, Mass., the native city of the deceased prelate, solemn requiem mass will be offered in St. Patrick's church, and at Manchester, N. H., the field of his untiring and fruitful labors, in St. Joseph's cathedral, pontifical services will be held in remembrance of the honored dead.

Although the body of Bishop Delany rests in the shadow of the cathedral sanctuary he so much revered and loved, yet, within the past year a beautiful memorial to him has been erected in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery at Lowell. Besides the fitting inscription which it bears, the esteemed bishop's coat of arms is finely cut in the polished granite together with his motto, "Cor Jesu Spes Mea," which words were the last he pronounced on earth.

Another beautiful memorial in the form of a highly artistic booklet of the deceased prelate's poems has been published during the year and to those who have been privileged to receive a copy it is a much-prized gift. It has been well described as "a basket of precious jewels, each one of which reflects its exquisite setting of the simple, childlike faith, the strong condescending hope, and the boundless Christlike charity of Bishop Delany's great and good heart and his grand and noble soul." The booklet has been dedicated to the dear and loyal friends of Bishop Delany by his sisters.

Such worthy remembrances fittingly illustrate the text "To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die."

HUGE PIKE

BELIEVED TO HOLD THE WORLD'S RECORD.

SAINT PAUL, Minn., June 6.—Two huge pike, believed to hold the world's record for size and length, have just been taken in the state lake under the authority of the state game and fish commission, and are now being mounted to become a permanent exhibit of Minnesota's supremacy in game fish. One of them will be placed in the state museum at Willowbrook hatchery in Saint Paul and the other will be placed in the Saint Paul headquarters of the game and fish commission.

The two pike are twins, and surpass any of their species ever before taken in Minnesota. Both weigh eighteen and a quarter pounds. Each is thirty-two and a half inches in length. The jaws of the two monsters have a sufficient opening to close easily over a man's clenched fist. Between the dorsal fins and the gills each is as large as a man's leg. While there are no official records it is believed that each surpasses the largest pike previously taken in Minnesota waters by four and a quarter pounds.

State Superintendent of Fisheries Sam F. Fullerton states that it is very probable that still larger pike inhabit Gull lake.

"Last season," he said, "our men took two pike while gathering pike eggs, that weighed fully twenty pounds each. They were returned to the water after they were tagged. The two we are having mounted are not quite that large, but are still of exceptional size. They were taken at the same time and are probably twins." It frequently happens both with pike and bass that after one fish of unusual size is taken, his mate of equal size will be taken in the same place.

"There is no way of telling how old these two are. They are most remarkable fish and probably of great age. The sturgeon, our slowest-growing fish, gains but a pound a year, even if he weighs 200 pounds. Pike probably make a better growth but these two, even allowing for that, are without doubt early settlers in the Gull lake waters. They were taken by Jeff Saunders, superintendent of the Glenwood hatchery, and broke all Minnesota records so far as I can learn, although eight, ten and twelve pound pike are frequently taken. They were caught while going into Home brook to spawn."

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Preachers and Their Sermon Subjects

The following sermon topics are contained in the church notices for tomorrow:

ADVENT.

Seventh Day Adventist (Saturday), 2 p. m. Sabbath school; 3 p. m., "United States in Prophecy." Adverser, 10:30 a. m., preaching and communion; 6:30 p. m., illustrated sermon.

BAPTIST.

First: Morning, "Blessings and Bread;" hand of fellowship to new members; Lord's supper; evening, "The Millstone Warning." Mt. Vernon F. B.: 10:30 a. m., "This Day;" communion; evening, Rev. A. R. Toothaker of the Paige Street F. B. will preach.

Fifth Street Morning, "The Lord's Day;" Lord's supper at 1:30 a. m., evening, "With Christ in Heaven." Chestnut Street F. B.: Wednesday, 10:30 a. m., evening, praise service. Branch Street: Morning, Rev. A. E. Whitely of Lawrence will speak on "Beginnings of the Sunday School," and will speak at the Sunday school 40th anniversary; evening, "Jesus the Same."

Swedish: Morning, "Prayer Meeting;" evening, "Psalms." Union Free Will Mission: 6:30 p. m. service at Post 155, G. A. R. hall.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

First Church of Christ, Scientist: 10:45 a. m., "God, the Only Cause and Power." Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Ellot: Morning, Rev. Roy R. Guild of Boston will preach; evening, "Our Immigrants, the Man from Italy," stereopticon, by Rev. Roy R. Guild.

First Trinity: 10:30 a. m., (Mr. Keeney), "The Appeal of the Springtime;" 6:30 p. m., (Mr. Keeney), "Illustrated lecture on 'Ancient and Modern Athens.'"

Kirk Street: 10:30 a. m., "A Delightful Land," sermon fitting the time between Memorial and Flag days.

First: 10:30 a. m., "Our Supreme Duty;" 6:30 p. m., "The Unfinished Through Failure," pleasant Sunday evening service.

High Street: "The Three Days in a Man's Life and What to Do With Them;" evening, "The Geography of the Kingdoms."

Pawtucket: 10:30 a. m., "Approaches to Children's Day;" 7:00 p. m., "Freedom of the Will;" 6:30 p. m., "Popularity;" 6:30 p. m., vesper service, "Starting in Life."

Ministry-at-Large: Morning, "Consuming Hunger and Thirst After Righteousness;" 4:15 a. m., "God Revealed in Nature;" 7 p. m., "Christ the Truth and the Life."

Hillside: Morning, "The Unsatisfied God;" evening, "Desert Places." Collinsville Union Chapel: "The Unsatisfied God."

EPISCOPAL.

St. Anne's: 10 a. m., sermon and holy communion; 7 p. m., annual Whit Sunday evening service for St. Anne's Branch of Girl's Friendly Society.

METHODIST.

St. Paul's M. E.: 10:30 a. m., communion and reception of members; 6:30 p. m., "A Life That Cannot Fail."

Everan P. M.: Morning, communion service; evening, "Physical Salvation." Gorham Street P. M.: Morning, communion and reception of members; evening, "A Great Element in the Solution of Mysteries."

Highland M. E.: Morning, "The Christian Church;" evening, "Pitching the Tent Toward Solom." Centralville M. E.: 10:30 a. m., "The Message of Conquest;" 6:30 p. m., "The Rewards of Victory."

Worthington Street M. E.: 10:30 a. m., communion and reception of members with short sermon, theme, "Loyalty;" 6:30 theme, "The Impossible Commandment."

PRESBYTERIAN.

Westminster: Morning, "The Secret of a Happy Life;" evening, "The Divine Surplus."

UNITARIAN.

First: Morning, "Our Need of Worship."

UNIVERSALIST.

First: Morning, "Sinners Within and Saints Outside the Church;" 5 p. m., district rally of Y. P. C. U.

Grace: Morning, Rev. J. P. Marvin of Methuen will preach; 5:30 p. m., Y. P. C. U.

OTHER CHURCHES.

Christadelphian Ecclesia: 10:30 a. m., "A Great High Priest."

First Evangelical: Morning, baptismal service, reception of members and sacrament; evening, "Foundation, Superstructure and Test."

First Spiritualist: 4 p. m., Mrs. N. E. Abbott will speak, services being held at home of Mrs. J. S. Jackson, 120 Gales street.

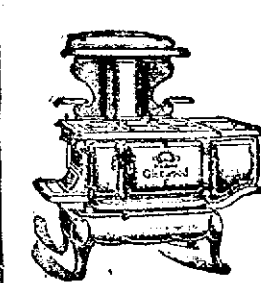
MEET AT LITTLETON.

The 84th session of the North Middlesex Congregational conference of Unitarian and other churches will be held with the First Congregational society of Littleton, Wednesday, June 10. The day's program will be as follows:

Morning—10 a. m. hymn and prayer; 10:15 a. m. reading of the minutes, new business; 11 a. m. "The Religion of Progress." Rev. Charles F. Dole, D. D., Boston; 11:45 a. m. Opportunities for Service Within the Conference; 12:10 p. m. discussion.

Dinner will be served by the ladies of the society to persons attending the sessions of the conference.

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UNION PICNIC PLANNED.

The High street and the Elliot Congregational churches will hold a union picnic at Willow Dale, Wednesday, June 24. Both churches are taking great interest in the arrangements for the picnic and its success is assured.

MEETING AT PASTOR'S HOME.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Paige street church held its regular monthly meeting last night at the home of the pastor, Rev. A. R. Toothaker, 52 Dover street.

IRELAND'S SUCCESS

DURING TWENTY YEARS OF PARLIAMENTARY WORK

BOSTON, June 6.—It was a very happy and successful audience of more than 2000 people that left Tremont temple last night at the conclusion of John O'Callaghan's lecture on the history of today, or as he entitles it, "Twenty Years of Ireland's National Progress; the Result of Parliamentary Action." No man in America is better informed on the conditions in Ireland than is Mr. O'Callaghan.

The lecturer was introduced by M. J. Jordan, another keen student of Irish history and Irish affairs, who in his introduction gave a clear and concise statement of the political events of the last generation which had led up to the present conditions in Ireland. He paid a fine tribute to the part which Mr. O'Callaghan had played in this work.

The first portion of Mr. O'Callaghan's lecture and the accompanying views dealt with the historic and picturesque features of Ireland, including the banquet hall at Tara; Kincora, the seat of King Brian Boru in Clare; St. Canice's in Kilkenny, the ruins of McMur-

rough's castle, the seven churches at Glendalough in Wicklow, Avondale, the home of Parnell; St. Patrick's cathedral in Armagh, the seat of Cardinal Logue, who is in this country at present; the city of Waterford, the Limerick treaty stone, the lakes of Killarney, the graves of Parnell, Davitt and John Mitchell, and many other interesting and picturesque spots.

He next took up the congestion problem in Ireland and by means of a map of the island pointed out these various districts in Roscommon, Galway and other counties. In these congested districts the people had been driven by the landlord to thousands from their little crude homes—evicted, in most cases in a brutal manner—and had been obliged to go to the waste places in the mountains and bogs to find shelter and sustenance, while the land they or their forebears had occupied for centuries was turned into grazing lands for the raising of cattle.

The lecturer showed a number of the pitiful evictions scenes of 20 years ago, in which the cottages were battered down over the heads of the occupants by the soldiers and constabulary. He showed the work which had been accomplished by the congested districts boards, that was accomplished through the efforts of Redmond and the Irish parliamentary party and the Irish parliamentary party. There was shown Lord Dillon's estate in Roscommon, which had been purchased for over \$1,000,000 and cut up into holdings on which fine cottages have been erected, in which the tenants evicted from their vast estate now live in security at very moderate rentals. He exhibited the old home of Bernard King, who put up such a hard fight against eviction, and the fine new home which King now occupies on the same site.

He showed similar improvements on the estate of Lord De Freyne, who was the most bitter opponent of the Irish parliamentary party and chairman of the landlords' committee which started to raise a fund to fight the party, but gave it up when they learned that the

convention in Faneuil hall had resolved to furnish a dollar for every dollar the landlords raised and fight them to the bitter end.

Mr. O'Callaghan showed many pictures of industrial as well as agricultural prosperity and pictures of the principal actors in the great struggle—Parnell, Davitt, Redmond, Dillon, O'Brien and others.

The lecturer was warmly applauded as he concluded.

The proceeds is to go to the Irish parliamentary fund.

The lecture will be given in Lowell at a future date.

MAYOR BUSSE

WAS MARRIED TO CHICAGO GIRL LAST APRIL

CHICAGO, June 6.—The information became public yesterday that Mayor Fred A. Busse was married on April 29 to Miss Josephine Lee of this city.

The ceremony was performed by Judge Theodore Brennan. There were only five persons present at the time of the marriage. Unusual steps were taken to keep the story quiet and even the immediate relatives of the mayor were not informed of his marriage.

THE K. OF C.

WILL RECEIVE COMMUNION AT ST. PETER'S TOMORROW.

The members of Lowell Council, No. 72, Knights of Columbus, will receive holy communion in a body tomorrow morning at St. Peter's church. The Knights will meet in the Fair hall adjoining St. Peter's church, and thence march into the eight o'clock service where seats will be reserved. Afterward they will repair to the breakfast which will be served in the Lincoln hall, Gorham street.

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RIVARD'S GOLD FEET

Made Farce Out of Lowell-Lawrence Game

Two Bad Decisions and a Home Run Put Lowell's Pitcher on Quitting List—Large Lowell Gathering Was Thoroughly Disgusted

Some 300 Lowell fans went down to Glen Forest yesterday expecting to see a ball game, but went away disgusted. They wouldn't mind being beaten and beaten badly if the players showed a disposition to try to win but when their pitcher quit cold at the outset because Lawrence got a lead on him they were thoroughly disappointed and but few of them remained to see the finish. The Lowell fans were quite a help to the home management from a financial standpoint for with two exceptions every quarter seat in the grand stand was occupied by a Lowell man or woman.

Umpire Connolly was responsible for the slaughter for at the very start he made two of the most inexcusable bad decisions ever handed out by an umpire. Then Wilson knocked a home run with three on base and then Mr. Rivard, who had been playing great ball when things were coming his way demonstrated his inability to stand the gaff by quitting and trying hard to make a huge joke of the affair.

After the first inning Rivard wanted to be taken out but Sharrott wouldn't let him quit and so Rivard broke up the game himself. Then they all went back on the field. The Spickerville bunch as they are now composed will wind up one, two, three for the money. They're fast and they're willing. Garry Wilson is playing the game of his life. Simmy Murch is a tower of strength on first base. Harter is going to surprise the fans. Dan Duggan has braced up finely. Cameron is coming back fast and Jason knows how to get the bunch working. Eddie Arundel is wearing the smile that is hard to break off these days, for it was Edward who rejuvenated the team and set Lawrence baseball mad again.

Except to repeat that the features of the game were the extraordinary umpiring, that was the worst ever of Connolly, and the beautiful and decisive manner in which Rivard got cold feet, there is nothing more to write about. The score:

LAWRENCE.

Flynn, ss	4	2	1	3	1
Harter, 2b	4	5	1	1	2
Wilson, 3b	1	1	5	4	1
McLane, lf	5	0	1	0	0
Murch, 1b	5	1	2	12	0
Devine, cf	4	0	0	3	0
Templin, rf	5	1	0	0	0
Duggan, c	4	2	1	4	0
Cameron, p	5	2	1	0	5
Totals	41	14	15	27	12

LOWELL.

Shannon, ss	3	1	1	3	1
Zinsaar, cf	4	1	2	3	0
Howard, rf	5	2	3	0	1
Duff, 1b	5	0	0	8	0
Wells, 2b	5	0	1	1	3
Harris, 3b	5	0	3	0	3
Fish, lf	5	0	0	2	0
Ainsworth, c	4	0	0	4	1
Rivard, p	4	1	0	0	1
Totals	41	7	10	24	6

Lawrence 14, Lowell 6.
Two base hit—Flynn. Home run—Wilson. Sacrifice hit—Zinsaar. Stolen bases—Wilson, Harter, Murch, Templin, Duggan. Left on bases—Lawrence 7, Lowell 5. First base on balls—Off Cameron 5, off Rivard 4. First base on errors—Lawrence 4, Lowell 1. Struck out—By Cameron 4, by Rivard 3. Passed ball—Ainsworth. Wild pitches—Cameron 3. Time—2:10. Umpire—Connolly.

DIAMOND NOTES

Lawrence today:

Question: When a batted ball is motionless several inches inside of the white chalk base line and only 10 feet away from the umpire and a fielder runs up and knocks the ball outside of the line with his open hand after the manner of a golfer with his stick, and after the ball has been lying in fair ground several seconds and then the umpire calls it a foul, what would you call the umpire?

Answer: A hum!

Question: Who is he?

Answer: Connolly.

It would appear that Napoleon Rivard never heard of General de Frontenac, which was a brave soldier and which never quit.

One of Winn's pet notions is: "It matters not how the battle went, how did you fight?" They didn't wait to fight, they retired in disorder before the enemy, after Garry Wilson clouted the ball over to the high service water tower.

Our poor boys at Glen Forest yesterday looked as pitiable as a lot of cigar store Indians in a snow storm.

Just because Connolly went bad, Rivard went back and then everyone joined in the chorus.

Watch young Harter of the Lawrence team play the game.

Ex-Manager Jennie Rolley had great fun in the grand stand yesterday, giving Lowell. The team yesterday closely resembled the Lawrence bunch when Rolley was manager.

Wilson's homer was the first of the season and he gets a pair of 44 shoes from a Lawrence firm.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Cleveland	24	19	55.8
Philadelphia	22	19	53.7
St. Louis	22	20	52.4
Pittsburgh	22	20	52.4
New York	22	20	52.4
Chicago	20	20	50.0
Washington	18	23	43.9
Boston	19	26	42.2

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Detroit: Boston 7, Detroit 1.
At Chicago: Washington 1, Chicago 2.

At St. Louis: St. Louis-Philadelphia game postponed, rain.
At Cleveland: New York 4, Cleveland 6.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	24	15	61.6
Cincinnati	22	17	56.5
Pittsburgh	21	18	53.8
New York	19	17	52.8
Boston	19	21	50.0
St. Louis	19	24	44.2
Brooklyn	15	25	37.5

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston: Chicago 4, Boston 2.
At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 1.
At Brooklyn: Cincinnati 4, Brooklyn 1.
At New York: New York 2, St. Louis 4.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

Team	Won	Lost	P. C.
Worcester	15	11	57.5
Lawrence	15	11	57.5
Brookton	15	12	55.7
Lynn	15	12	55.7
Haverhill	15	12	55.7
Fall River	12	15	44.4
Lowell	10	17	37.0
New Bedford	9	18	33.3

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Lawrence—Lawrence 14, Lowell 6.
At Fall River—Brookton 5, Fall River 0.
At New Bedford—New Bedford 5, Worcester 1.
At Haverhill—Haverhill 7, Lynn 1.

SUNDAY GAMES.

(American League.)
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Washington at Chicago.

(National League.)
Chicago at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.

(New England League.)
Lawrence at Lowell.
Brookton at Fall River.
Worcester at New Bedford.
Haverhill at Lynn.

BASEBALL NOTES

Stanley Robinson says his St. Louis team has the best pitching staff in either league.

The Cincinnati have four pitchers who are working well, which is more than a majority of big league teams have.

It is to be hoped the New York Americans get the habit of few error making completely out of their systems when they do brace up in their fielding.

President Pulliam says he has received no protest from Cincinnati of the game won by St. Louis the other day in which a St. Louis player batted out of turn.

Dates for playing off postponed games have been arranged as follows: At Pitts.—Wash. Cincinnati, June 23 (two games); June 24, September 11. With Chi.—

case—July 2 (two games), August 12 and 13. At Cincinnati—Wash. Chicago, June 30 (two games), St. Louis, September 6 (two games), Pittsburgh, September 1 (two games).

In the sixth inning of Thursday's game at the Polo grounds Doyle stole second and had his foot on the bag when O'Rourke received Harter's throw. The umpire said safe, but a part in the grand stand differed. "He wasn't safe," she exclaimed to her friend. "But," said the latter, "he was at the base before the ball got there." "I don't care," was the retorting reply, "the man threw the ball and the other man caught it. So there!" What did the umpire and players and 999 spectators know about the game anyway?

The Doves are playing fine ball and are bound to make it interesting for the western clubs.

Jim McElane, the Red Sox outfielder, has been turned out to Toronto and left for that club yesterday.

Cleveland is playing pennant ball just now, while the Highlanders have taken a slump.

Doc Gessler is now doing what the Boston management figured that he would do when he hit his proper gait, cracking out telling three-base hits daily.

Pres. Charles Murphy of the Cubs is not with his boys, preferring to remain in Chicago and help to nominate his old friend Taft.

Del Howard says Bowserman has made the Boston club. "That was a great trade Boston made with New York," said Howard.

Pres. John T. Taylor came up from Buzzards bay yesterday, gave McElane orders to go to Toronto, saw four innings of the game at the South End and hurried back to his summer home.

HAVERHILL LOST

Lowell High Won An Easy Victory

THE SCORE WAS 22 TO 3

Lowell Made 13 Runs in First Inning

The score of 22 to 3 in favor of Lowell High tells in a nutshell the story of yesterday's game at Spaulding park. It was Haverhill's off-day, and the contest was Lowell's from start to finish. Fourteen errors were chalked against the Haverhill players, whereas the home team played an errorless game.

The one feature of the game yesterday that marked the contest as a bit peculiar was Lowell's half of the first inning. Lowell went round the batting order twice, sending eighteen men to bat, and scoring a total of thirteen runs with only five hits. The other runs were led in by seven costly errors on the part of McAdams, Brickett, Ryan, Gillen, Miller and Behan.

The game was probably the slowest one, from the spectator's point of view, that has been played at the park this season, lasting two hours and ten minutes.

Thompson twirled for Lowell, striking out twelve men. Six men walked, but, for the most part, the work of the Lowell boys was effective.

At first, Donahue played well, taking everything that came his way. Foye missed two foul tips that easily might have been hits, but otherwise his work was clever. At bat, the Lowell players even down to the tail-enders, showed an inclination to maul everything that came within three feet of the plate, generally sending the sphere out for a hit.

Dodge, although the last Lowell man on the batting list, covered himself with glory, hitting for three times out of five times at bat, an average of over 500. More to his credit, too, one of his hits was a splendid two-bagger. Parker was the other three-hit man, equaling Dodge's work.

For the visitors, the pitching of Brickett was a bit eccentric. The Haverhill boys permitted seven men to reach first on free transportation slips, and only struck out four men. Read, who succeeded Brickett on the slab, was no better, and everybody hit freely. Several shakups were made in the Haverhill lineup during the game, all to no effect. In a nutshell, the contest was but a farce, and about as poorly played exhibition of the national game as was ever seen in this city.

The attendance was exactly what such a game deserved, numbering perhaps into the two hundreds.

LOWELL HIGH.

Player	ab	r	h	so	a	e
Thompson, p	5	2	2	2	4	0
Foye, c	5	1	0	12	2	0
Donahue, 1b	5	3	0	0	0	0
Parker, 2b	5	3	0	0	0	0
McAdams, ss	4	2	1	0	2	0
McVey, 3b	4	2	2	1	1	0
Swann, rf	5	1	3	0	1	0
Woodes, lf	5	2	3	0	0	0
Dodge, cf	5	2	3	1	0	0
Totals	41	22	13	27	12	0

HAVERHILL HIGH.

Player	ab	r	h	so	a	e
Vaughn, 2b	3	1	1	1	0	0
McAdams, 1b	3	0	0	1	1	1
McAdams, 1b	3	0	0	1	1	1
Brickett, p	4	1	3	3	2	1
Ryan, 3b	4	0	4	0	4	2
Read, lf	3	0	0	1	1	0
Gillen, c	4	0	1	0	1	2
Woodes, 2b	4	0	4	0	1	0
Miller, cf	4	0	0	2	2	0
McKay, rf	2	1	1	0	3	0
Behan, ss	4	0	2	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	17	10	8	11

Two base hits—Parker and Brickett. First base—Brickett, 12. Four times on base—Thompson. Sacrifice hits—Foye 3, Read 3, Swann 2, Woodes 1, Dodge 1, Vaughn 1, McKay 1, Behan 1. First base on balls—Off Thompson 4, off Brickett 1, off Read 3, off Swann 2, off Woodes 1, off Dodge 1, off Vaughn 1, off McKay 1, off Behan 1. Struck out—By Thompson 12, by Brickett 4. Passed balls—Foye 1, Gillen 1.

len 2, Ryan 1. Time—2:10. Umpire—Wm. Merritt. Attendance—200.

In the Merrimack valley league game between Haverhill and Lawrence at Haverhill on June 2, Haverhill pulled off a victory. While celebrating their victory, the Haverhill students incidentally ducked John Taylor of Lawrence High in a watering trough for "unfriendly interference." The Boston Globe refers to the affair as follows:

HAVERHILL, June 3.—John Taylor of Lawrence, a high school student and football player, was ducked in a watering trough on Winter street last evening by Haverhill High school pupils. The latter were out celebrating the victory in the Merrimack valley league game yesterday over the Lawrence nine.

The crowd of students had just left a theatre on Winter street and were forming for a parade when Taylor grabbed a cardboard sign showing the result of the game, which a boy was carrying at the head of the line, and crushed it. No sooner had he done so than the Haverhill students rushed him to a watering trough at city hall park and threw him into the water.

Taylor resisted, but his capers held him in the water until he was drenched and then resumed their parade, while Taylor, with his clothes dripping wet, went home on an electric.

Today the nine journeyed to Newburyport and there played an 11-inning aggregate of that town within sight of the ocean. The game will be one of unusual interest, owing to the fact that last year the contest between the two teams was the longest in the history of either school, 15 innings being necessary to demonstrate the superiority of Lowell. While it is probable that today's game will be an overtime one, it should, at least, be close and exciting enough to satisfy the farthest fan. On Saturday, June 13, Lawrence will play Lowell in the final home game of the season. Three days later, on the 15th, Lowell and Haverhill will cross bats in the latter town.

Twelve games have already been played by the local nine. Of these, ten have been victories, the team scoring a total of 88 points to its opponents 52. The scores of the games thus far played have been as follows: Lowell 10, Nashua 2; Lowell 7, Middlebury 1; Lowell 11, Beverly 6; Lowell 5, Haverhill 1; Lowell 10, Lawrence 2; Lowell 3, Nashua 0; Lawrence 12, Lowell 4; Lowell 9, Arlington 7; Haverhill 10, Lowell 5; Lowell 6, Lawrence 3; Lowell 3, Melrose 2; Lowell 9, St. Joseph's College 4.

The batting averages of the players, the first Nashua game excluded, follow:

Donahue	.....	.325
McVey	.....	.213
Parker	.....	.273
Foye	.....	.273
Stephens	.....	.225
G. Mahoney	.....	.210
Swann	.....	.210
Thompson	.....	.200
Dodge	.....	.195

AMATEUR BASEBALL

A meeting of the committee of the Lowell and Suburban baseball leagues was held last night at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. Rules and regulations of the organization were drawn up and plans for the future arranged. Monday night of next week the representatives of the different clubs interested, will meet at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock.

BASKETBALL NOTES

At a meeting of the Suburban high school basketball league held last night at the Malden high school, it was voted not to play basketball next season under the present rules.

The Suburban league is composed of Melrose, Everett, Melrose and Melrose high schools.

Last winter much opposition was manifested against the roughness of the game. It was decided last night to give up the sport in this league unless the rules are greatly changed.

The meeting was called to order by Charles Harlick of Everett high school, president of the league. The motion to drop basketball was offered by Elmer Spain, the Everett graduate representative from Melrose.

It was opposed only by delegates from Melrose.

It was voted unanimously on motion of Dr. Thomas of Melrose high school that a committee of two be appointed by the league to endeavor to secure the appointment of similar committees from the Greater Boston school leagues for the purpose of revising the rules.

\$50,000 CLEANUP

WAS MADE IN A FAKE FLASH DESPATCH.

CHICAGO, June 5.—Fifty thousand dollars, it is estimated, was lost in Chicago on a "fake" flash coming over the telegraph lines five minutes before the flash of the battle in which Stanley defeated Billy Papke in Milwaukee, saying the latter was victor.

While the ninth round of the Papke-Ketchel fight was in progress, tickers in Chicago announced that Papke had won. Hundreds of bets were placed at once, and the "wise" ones, who had inside information that Papke could only win by a knockout, reaped a harvest.

Those who thought they had a "sure thing" put up all their available money. They even pawned their jewelry and borrowed from their friends.

CHARLEY HITTE

WAS KNOCKED OUT BY TOMMY SULLIVAN.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Tommy Sullivan of Lawrence stopped Charley Hitte of Albany in the fifth round of their fight at the Fairmount A. C. last night. Sullivan completely outclassed Hitte and when he dropped his opponent in the fifth round Paddy Moran, Hitte's chief second, jumped into the ring to save his man from a knockout. After battering Hitte about the ring for three rounds, Sullivan dropped his opponent three times in the fourth session. The bell saved Hitte from a knockout in that round.

PIERCE BATTLE.

DAYTON, O., June 6.—Jimmy Dunn of Cleveland and Walter Little of Chicago fought 20 fierce rounds to a draw here last night. Little, who had better of the first rounds, but after that Dunn took the lead.

In the 15th Little rushed and floored Dunn. The next two rounds were slightly in the Chicagoan's favor. The referee's decision pleased the crowd. Dunn had much the best of the fighting. He gave Little many opportunities for a knockout, but the latter's swings to the jaw often fell short and had little effect when they landed.

JIM SMITH OUT.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Mickey McDonough knocked out Jim Smith in the sixth round of the star bout at the stage of the New Polo A. C. last night. McDonough was the aggressor throughout. After about one minute of fighting in the last round he landed a terrific right swing to Smith's jaw and the latter went down and out.

AUTOMOBILE NEWS

Jefferson De Mont Thompson, chairman of the Vanderbilt cup commission, issued entry blanks yesterday for the 1908 competition for the William K. Vanderbilt Jr., cup, which will be run on Saturday, October 24. Entries at the regular fee of \$1000 a car will close on September 1, but deferred entries will be accepted up to October 1 upon payment of \$500 a car or a double fee for each car. The course will be announced at least thirty days before the race. Chairman Thompson said yesterday the report that the cup commission had cabled an offer to the French club to change the rules was a mistake. The only cable sent was one that promised courteous consideration of any protest sent direct to the American Automobile association.

The chairman of the ordinance committee of the Bridgeport board of aldermen has been informed by City Attorney Cullinan that the passage of an ordinance limiting the use of sirens whistles to the fire department apparatus and prohibiting their use by automobilists would be illegal. The city attorney says in his opinion that any ordinance which would restrict the use of sirens on automobiles other than those used by the fire department would be in opposition to the existing laws of Connecticut, and therefore invalid. The fire commissioners had asked that such an ordinance be passed.

Harry Chandler, a chauffeur employed by N. P. Huddy, a New York lawyer who resides at Westbury, L. I., raised a novel point yesterday in the court of special sessions at Jamaica, L. I., when he filed a demurrer in which he contended that the court has no jurisdiction in disposing of his case. He was arrested on April 25 on the Merrick road near Springfield charged with violating the speed limit provision of the state motor vehicle law. He had been arrested previously on April 7, when he was fined \$10.

In his demurrer Chandler asked the court to dismiss the complaint against him on the ground that there is no state law regulating the speed limit for motor vehicles, for the violation of which he was on trial. He contended that the magistrate has no power to conduct a preliminary hearing for the purpose of holding the defendant for the court of special sessions. He also declared that no section of the law can be repealed or amended unless a repeal act is included. He says that in 1902 a law was passed making it unlawful to operate automobiles at a speed greater than eight miles an hour in the city limits and twenty miles an hour outside the city.

In May, 1907, a new law was passed, but the repeal act was not referred to and no special session made to repeal any section of the law. In 1908 another law was passed, but again the repeal act was not referred to. Chandler says that under the charter of the court of special sessions can deal with cases only where the fine would be \$50 or less, and that it has no jurisdiction in the case of a misdemeanor, where a larger fine can be imposed. The case was adjourned until June 15 in order to give the district attorney time to look up the law on the matter.

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INJURED PERSONS

ALL ARE EXPECTED TO RECOVER.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 6.—The injured from the collision on the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric line near here last night in which eight persons were killed and a score more or less seriously hurt were reported to be doing nicely this morning at the Emergency hospital. All were expected to recover.

Mr. Slaughter, general manager of the electric line, thought to be the most seriously injured, was reported to be resting easily. He may, however, lose the sight of one eye. The identity of the young woman in ball costume who was killed outright has not yet been established. Her body was placed in charge of an undertaker. The initials "M. E. C." were worked on some of the undergarments.

The responsibility for the accident has not been definitely determined but there was a confusion in the orders as to where the cars should pass. The cars were both specials, the down car from Baltimore and the other from Annapolis, bound for Washington. It is thought that orders had been issued for the Baltimore car to wait at West's Gate, three miles from Annapolis, where there is a long siding but the orders were not received or understood and the car continued towards Annapolis.

Just as a curve had been rounded where the trees obscure the view the two cars dashed together with a terrific crash. An eye witness who lives close by the scene of the wreck said the cars approached each other at a high rate of speed but that the motorman or one of them undoubtedly tried to check his car as the witness heard the noise of the brake tightening.

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BOSTON, June 6.—Having concluded all the business to properly come before them at yesterday's sessions, the delegates to the annual convention of the New England branch, United Commercial Travelers of America, were free today to devote their time to the program of entertainment which had been arranged for them. The forenoon furnished the features of the day when the traveling salesmen with their friends and families formed in line and paraded through the streets of the city, about 2000 strong.

At the conclusion of the march cars had been furnished to take them to the Riverside recreation grounds in Auburndale, where refreshments and an afternoon of much enjoyment was prepared.

COL. SCANNELL

AWARDED \$2400 DAMAGES AGAINST CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON, June 6.—Col. Roger F. Scannell was awarded a verdict for \$2400 against the city of Boston for land taken and damages to springs by a jury before Judge White in the first session of the superior court yesterday. The jury arrived at their verdict after 22 hours of deliberation.

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THE GRAND JURY

Indicted Rivet for Murder of Joseph Gailloux

Natick Election Officials Indicted for Alleged Fraud—Other "True Bills" Reported at East Cambridge

Charles F. Hoey, J. Frederick Ryan, Louis H. Rice and Edward P. Brennan, all of Natick, were indicted yesterday by the Middlesex county grand jury, which reported at East Cambridge before Chief Justice Alden, on the charge of failing to perform their duty as election officers. None of the defendants was in court.

They are well known in Natick. They have had experience in counting at previous elections and no suspicion of irregularity has ever been attached to their work before. They represented the municipal reform and the citizens parties, Hoey and Rice the former and Ryan and Brennan the latter. The temperance people had no intention of asking for a recount, but rumors, however, were spread. A yes majority of 48 was turned into a no majority of five when the recount took place. Then charges were made.

Mr. and Mrs. Salvatore A. Strozzi of Somerville were both indicted on the charge of murder in causing the death of Peter Wilson of Somerville, March 24. Neither Strozzi nor his wife were called upon to enter a plea.

Napoleon Rivet was indicted on the charge of murdering Joseph Gailloux. The Lowell police claim that Gailloux transferred his life insurance policy for \$1000 to Rivet over a year ago, when Rivet loaned him \$5. They further say that Rivet and Gailloux were in a saloon together before the murder and they claim to have witnesses who saw Rivet going in the direction of the former's chow.

A "no" bill was returned in the case of Arthur S. Viano, whose automobile was in collision with the bicycle ridden by Harry Foley, a 14-year-old boy, in Cambridge about two weeks ago.

John LaBarre, Marlboro, breaking and entering.

James L. B. Montague and Mildred Montague, Concord, larceny in building.

George D. O'Donnell and Harry K. Smith, Everett, breaking and entering and receiving.

Harry Allen, Cambridge, arson.

George J. Evelyn and Alfred L. Buckley, Melrose, breaking and entering.

Henry P. Aldridge, John McGilvray

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SOCIETY WOMEN WHO ARE MUSICIANS

VERY few of those who stare enviously at the flared and stomached dames who add effulgence to the horseshoe at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, on society nights are aware that the circle includes a number of musicians who might successfully compete with those upon the stage. The opera has a particular attraction for society women, and the queens of song are practically the only women behind the footlights whom the snobbish smart set of New York admits to its gilded drawing rooms on a footing of equality. Society has contributed not a few members to the profession of prima donna. The late Sibyl Sanderson, daughter of Judge Sanderson of California, was one of these. Mme. Louisa Homer, who was a Miss Beatty of Pittsburg, is another fine singer who gave up society for opera.

Mrs. H. S. Kip of New York, who was Miss Frances Coster Jones, is one of the most accomplished singers in metropolitan society. She has studied abroad and is reputed to be contemplating a trip to Paris, where she expects to take up the higher branches of the art. Mrs. Kip knows the soprano roles so perfectly that she could at a moment's notice sing the part of Gilda, Violetta, Mimi or Manon. She is a daughter of Mrs. Louis Quentin Jones and is understood to be interested in music for its own sake, with no intention of appearing on the stage, on which those who have heard her assert that she would shine as a prima donna.

Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, now the Countess Szecsenyi, is another member of the fashionable set whose singing voice would earn her a living should her millions take to themselves wings. She was the pupil of Jean de Reszke in Paris, which is a sufficient recommendation of the quality of her voice, as he will accept none but promising pupils.

Miss Frances H. Ives, daughter of Brayton Ives, president of the Metropolitan Trust company of New York, is a charming singer. The Iveses live in East Thirty-ninth street, a region now deserted by the more pushing members of the smart set and given over to those conservative families who care more for convenience than fashion and the glittering attractions of upper Fifth avenue. Miss Ives has improved her voice abroad under the best masters, and her friends believe that her talent would insure her success as an operatic star.

Mrs. Grenville Semples Saelling, wife of the well known New York architect, is another of the society singers whose accomplishments are ranked as equal to those of most professionals. Mrs. Saelling was Miss Margaret W. Anthony, a member of a family devoted to music.

Perhaps the most pleasing singing voice in New York's fashionable society belongs to Mrs. Rutherford Stuyvesant.



MRS. RUTHERFORD STUYVESANT

Mrs. Rutherford Stuyvesant, who has more claim to be considered an aristocrat than most of her associates, for she was before her marriage to Mr. Stuyvesant Countess Mathilde de Wassenaer of Paris and is a woman of great charm and intellect. Her voice is a rich mezzo soprano, and it was cultivated by Jean de Reszke. Mr. Stuyvesant's marriage to the beautiful countess, who is his second wife, was one of the fashionable weddings for a few seasons ago in Paris.

Mrs. Foxhall Keene, who was Miss Mary Lawrence of New York and is a member of the fashionable hunting set, is a talented singer, and her beautifully cultivated voice is heard only by her very intimate friends. Miss Lucille Thornton of New York is an excellent contralto. Mrs. Chauncey McKee, wife of the Wall street broker, is another distinguished society vocalist. As Miss Julia Draper she was immensely popular on account of her personal charm and lovely voice. Mrs. Nicholas Fish, now seen more frequently in Washington than in New York society, is an accomplished musician and finished vocalist. As Miss Clemence Bryce she was considered one of the finest singers in society.

Mrs. Ben Thaw of Pittsburg, so long identified with the New York and Newport sets that she may be classed with them, is a charming singer. Her voice is a light soprano, and she uses it with remarkable effect. Her singing of ballads is particularly creditable.



MRS. JOSEPH WIDENER

No ladies in New York society have a juster right to the title of patrons of music than Miss Mary Callender and Miss Caroline de Forest, who live together in a delightful home in East Seventy-second street. There on their evenings at home they entertain all that is best in the social and musical sets of the city. Great singers who will condescend to open their lips nowhere else save for a chosen few are willing to sing for these delightful hostesses, who are themselves finished musicians. It was Miss Callender who founded the Symphony club, and, with Miss de Forest, she is always to be seen at the opera when anything specially new or fine is to be presented.

One of the most musical households in New York's fashionable coterie is that of the Havemeyers. The late Henry O. Havemeyer was a fine violinist and especially devoted to music. It was his joy when there was a family reunion to play second in the amateur orchestra which could be recruited from the various talented members of the Havemeyer connection, some of whom were accomplished players on several instruments, while others were finished singers. The late Theodore Havemeyer was also musical. The music room in the Havemeyer mansion was supplied with a great variety of instruments, from a harp to a kettledrum. Mr. H. O. Havemeyer was interested in collecting violins. There are no more liberal patrons of music than the Havemeyers, and when not in mourning they are among the most regular attendants at the opera. The various branches of the family, including Mrs. William Butler Duncan, who was Miss Blanche Havemeyer; Mrs. Louis J. Belloni, who was Miss Kate B. Havemeyer, and her daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Griffith and Mrs. George E. McLaughlin; Mrs. William E. Wilcox, who was Miss Martha Havemeyer; Mrs. Cameron McCrea Winslow, who was Miss Theodora Havemeyer, and Mrs. Ed. Clarkson Potter, who was Miss Emily Havemeyer, are all excellent musicians. So is Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer, Jr., who was Miss Charlotte Whiting and has very pronounced artistic tastes.



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The Rockefellers form another musical coterie. Mr. John D. Rockefeller is a clever violinist, and all the members of his family are musical. Mrs. Harold McCormick of Chicago, his daughter, does much to foster a taste for music in the smart set of the Windy City, her own acquisitions enabling her to provide her guests with a real treat when she sends out cards for a musicale.

The musicale has during the past season been the fashionable form of entertainment. Society is a bit tired of teas and receptions, and it is now the

thing to assume to be musical even if you are not. Ladies like Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, who are themselves truly musical and have unalloyed means at their disposal, have given to their friends some entertainments which it would have been almost impossible for any ordinary manager, for to provide so many fine artists at one concert would have taxed his resources too greatly. No more manager could provide such a setting and enable the great ladies of society to meet the great stars of the opera on the delightfully informal basis that they do in a smart drawing room. Half of the charm of the musicale is the opportunity it affords the guests of meeting the singers and seeing just how they talk and act off the stage. Mrs. Clarence Mackey of New York has given some delightful musicales, and so have a number of other fashionable women, among them Mrs. Edith Wharton, the author of "The House of Mirth," who is extremely musical.

Mrs. Edward I. Keffer and Mrs. Joseph E. Widener are among the most notable of the many musical women in Philadelphia society. Mrs. Keffer has been foremost in enabling the Philharmonic club to give concerts at nominal figures. Mrs. Widener is a liberal patron of opera and music in general. She is the wife of the traction magnate and was Miss Ella Pannicoast of the well known Quaker City family of that name.

The most musical woman in Washington society is Mrs. William H. Taft. Her musical education extends along many lines, and there are many persons who consider her the most accomplished amateur musician in the country. She is a fine pianist, sings well and has a wide knowledge of music and musical history. If Mrs. Taft moves into the White House musicians will be feted there, and the music room will be her favorite apartment. Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, like her husband, is very fond of music. His generosity in giving organs to the public is fostered by her. While not a brilliant performer on the piano, she has a thorough understanding of music and is a discriminating critic. Mrs. Reginald de Koven, wife of the composer, is an accomplished musician as well as a novelist. Her husband accords her the credit for many helpful suggestions in composing his operas.

The late Frederick Ranken, the gifted young librettist of "Nancy Brown," "Happyland," "The Student King" and so many other successful operas, which he received from his lovely wife, who is a finished singer and pianist. Mrs. Ranken was Miss Cora Townsend and has the Townsend cleverness for art and music. She tried the effect of most of the principal songs on the piano before her husband decided upon their final suitability for the operas. Sometimes the music was also of her suggestion, while frequently she helped him out with ideas for songs or situations. EDITH MORTON.

Hairdressing as It Is Done at the Present Time

HAIRDRESSERS are complaining bitterly against the rows of puffs that are now so much in vogue. "The business of marcelling has fallen off enormously," one of them said to me. "A lady can easily wave her own front hair, and when she pins a row of puffs across the back of her head it conceals perfectly the straight hairs. Also the department stores are selling puffs (made of bleached Chinese hair) for as low as 50 cents. Good quality hair is not an essential of puffs, while it is of switches. You have to pay from \$10 to \$18 for a good switch. But women aren't using them any more. They buy instead two or three rows of puffs and cover their heads with them. Any woman can fix her hair artistically by using puffs, so why should she spend money going to the hairdressers?"

What he says is perfectly true. Let me tell you how most New York women are fixing their hair at present. When she unbraids it in the morning, Mme. Up-to-date bends her head down and lets the hair fall all around her face. Then, taking a brush dipped in brilliantine, she brushes her hair vigorously downward from the scalp. No one I know with good hair ever brushes it back over the forehead. It makes the hair lie flat and grow thin at the temples.

Still holding the hair downward, madame then pins all around her head what is called a "transformation." This is short curly hair sewed on a tape the exact measure of the head. The curly hair is covered with longer wavy hair the exact match of the wearer's own. She secures the tape front and back with a hairpin. Then, still brushing with the brush dipped in brilliantine, she gathers up her hair over the transformation into a pompadour. This pompadour should be rather wide at the sides and flat on top. Fastening a rubber band around the hair that is left close to the head, she then proceeds to braid the long strands and pin them very flat to the top of her head. Back of this braided arrangement comes a row of puffs starting midway on each side, and between the puffs and the braided part comes a plain, stunning back comb. The loose hairs are held up at the back by a shell pin to match, and this has a patent snap. Over all goes a large invisible hair net. The effect is stunning.

Some women part the hair in front, rolling it over in puffs at the sides and having the ornate back effect the same

as I have described. This is splendid for a tall woman with a delicately modeled face.

When I see a woman who makes a bad business of dressing herself I generally find that as a child she was not educated by her mother to pick out her own things with good taste. And also when I find a wife who cannot make both ends meet on her allowance inquiry reveals the fact that as a child and a young woman she had no allowance, and so as her experience in managing money dates only from her marriage you can hardly blame her for doing badly.

What a mistake some mothers make! Can you expect a girl to have good taste when it has never been trained? And let me tell you this: Every child from the age of ten years should have an allowance, even if it is only a quarter a week. Out of this she should

be made to pay certain things—to be responsible for them. The allowance is gradually increased until, by the time the girl is eighteen, she is buying all her own clothes and using good judgment in their selection, too, because she knows she must wear them a certain length of time and that if she makes a mistake she must stand by it; no one will come to her rescue.

That's the idea—teach the child to "manage" and have a sense of responsibility early in life, and you have given it a fair start toward success and happiness.

Here's another way in which the mother can help—I have mentioned it before, but it is so important it will bear repeating—and that is by helping the teacher out of school hours.

The pupils who succeed the best are those fortunate ones whose parents take an interest in their studies.

Draw from the child an account of what it has actually learned that day. This is the best way of fixing it in the memory.

"Bring out the practical side of what has been studied. Sometimes when the teacher has a large class she is too busy to do this. At other times she lacks the faculty of making practical applications.

Make the child feel that it is not so much the book knowledge itself that counts, but the ability to make use of it in practical everyday life.

Many a fine education has been wasted and forgotten before it could be put to any use because the pupil did not see the point of what she learned. She had no one to point out to her how she could apply her knowledge to her own needs and make thereby her life broader and more useful.

So ask little Susie what she has learned today and then add: "Well, Susie, what good does knowing that do you? How is it going to help you?"

This will make Susie use her powers of reasoning and will end by giving her twice as much respect for her lessons.

I would like to place a sign where every mother in this land could see it all the time—

MOTHERS, BE PRACTICAL! It would do a lot of good, I can tell you.

It is well said that the "real lady" needs no advertisement—in other words, she does not have to tell you she is one. The fact is evident.

But if there is one sign of refinement, above all others, it is being quiet when traveling.

Show me a woman who is loud in her dress when she is on a train or a boat and I will show you one who has not been accustomed to anything, as the saying is.

And what can you say that is bad enough about the woman who discusses her affairs publicly, who shrieks through car windows and who kisses in the station?

She is even worse than the other extreme, the rude woman who is afraid to be civil when she is away from home from fear of being "taken in" and made a fool of in some way.

Traveling is an art, there's no doubt about that, and it shows up woman in her true light as nothing else does.

Of all the mean tricks, taking a maid away from a friend by offering her better inducements is certainly the worst. Personally I wouldn't have anything

to do with a so called "friend" who did that to me.

And yet you hear of it every day.

The wise woman neither does bustle

nor through her friends nor does she

interfere in their business. Friendship

should be sacred and kept apart from

all else. Don't inflict your troubles on

your friends; don't criticize them or

give "good advice" or repeat unkind

remarks.

Keep friendship pleasant. The wise

woman, whether married or otherwise,

is the one who has some other interest

in life besides love.

I don't mean that she should cut out

the latter, but that she ought to refuse

to make it the sum total of her existence.

We have all met the sentimental girl. When she thinks she

thinks of love, when she reads she

reads romance, and when she does

anything it is nearly always with an

eye to a sentimental result. She is insipid

and "slushy," and we laugh at her.

But have you ever met the married

woman of the same type? She is also insipid and slushy, but we don't

laugh at her.

Indeed no. We have to take her

seriously because she makes all the

trouble.



A POPULAR GOVERNOR'S WIFE.

Unaffected simplicity characterizes every feature of the life of Mrs. Johnson, wife of the governor of Minnesota, who is announced as a candidate for the presidential nomination. She was Miss Elinore Preston of St. Peters, Minn., and she was married in 1884.



A WELL KNOWN ENGLISH BEAUTY.

The Countess of Dudley is one of the most beautiful women in England. Her husband has recently been appointed governor general of Australia. The Hon. John Hubert Ward, her brother-in-law, is engaged to Miss Jean Reid, daughter of the Hon. Whitehead Reid, American ambassador to England.

She wants her husband to remain her lover. She exacts all the caresses and endearments of the honeymoon until the man rebels at length. She only lives for his smiles. She wants to exist with her arms around his neck. She is perfectly maddening because she has no conversation, no interest in life outside of sentiment. If he tries to get a little variety she weeps and swears he doesn't love her.

If he refuses to provide "slush" ad libitum she listens to the first man who proposes to be her affinity, and then she goes ahead and makes a fool of herself.

The divorce courts are full of her either as a correspondent or a complaining wife. As I said, she makes all the trouble in the world, this silly woman who has too much time on her hands because her sole interest in life is love.

LOWELL TRIMS LAWRENCE

At Washington Park
This Afternoon

INNINGS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	TOTAL
Lowell	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	x	5
Lawrence	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1

There were over two thousand fans at Washington park this afternoon to witness the game between Lowell and Lawrence. Including a number of fans from Lawrence. Vandergriff, the new catcher of the Lowell team, was in uniform and participated in the practice but did not play. It is understood that Rivald was fined for indifference yesterday. The game was scheduled to commence at three o'clock this afternoon but umpire Connolly did not put in an appearance until 3:15 o'clock, at which time the game was called, the batting order being as follows:

LOWELL.
Shannon ss
Zinsar rf
Howard cf
Duff lb
Harris 2b
Fish 3b
Ainsworth c
Warner p

LAWRENCE.
Flynn ss
Harter 2b
McLean 1b
Murch 3b
Devine cf
Eaton c
Whiting p

FIRST INNING.
Flynn was the first man up for the visitors and he flied out to Fish. Harter hit to Shannon and flied at first. Wilson, who made five hits in yesterday's game, went out on strikes.

In Lowell's half Shannon flied out to Harter and Zinsar struck out. Howard popped a fly and while running for first collided with Eaton and was safe on the initial bag. Duff closed the inning, hitting to Harter and going out at first.

SECOND INNING.
McLean hit to Shannon and was out at first. Murch hit over second base, but Wolfe made a pretty stop and the runner was out at first. Devine singled, but Cummings hit to Wolfe and was out at first.

In the latter half of the inning Wolfe struck out. Harris hit to deep center field to Devine and was out at first while Fish hit to Harter and met a similar death.

THIRD INNING.
In the third inning Eaton singled over third base and went to second on Whiting's sacrifice. Flynn hit a hot one to Warner and was out at first, while Eaton went to third, but Harter flied out to Fish in deep left field.

The home team went out in fast order in the latter half of the third. Ainsworth hit to Harter and was out at first, Warner struck out and Shannon flied out to Devine.

but the latter threw bad to second and both men were safe. Duff hit between short stop and third base and the ball struck Zinsar who was declared out. Wolfe singled to right field. Harter singled to left field, scoring Howard. Fish singled to center field, scoring Duff and Wolfe. Ainsworth singled filling the bases. Warner flied out to Harter and Shannon closed the inning by hitting to Wilson and going out at first.

FIFTH INNING.
In the fifth inning Eaton hit to Harter and was retired at first. Whiting hit to left field and Fish allowed the ball to go through him and the runner went to second. Flynn hit to Shannon, who threw to Harter and Whiting was nailed between second and third. Flynn's second, and went to third on a wild pitch. Harter was third out.

Nothing doing in the latter half of the fifth. Zinsar hit to Flynn and was out at first. Howard singled, Duff flied to McLean and then Whiting caught Howard napping off first.

SIXTH INNING.
Wilson singled, but was forced out at second, on McLean's hit to Wolfe. Murch hit to Duff and was out at first while Devine flied out to Zinsar.

The home team scored two more runs in the sixth inning. Wolfe opened with a single and then got caught napping off first base, but Murch dropped the ball and Wolfe went to second. Harris popped a fly to Whiting. Fish singled to center field and Wolfe scored. Ainsworth singled to right field and Fish went to third. Cummings threw the ball to third to get Fish, but Wilson allowed the sphere to go through him and Fish scored. Warner flied to Murch and Shannon hit over second base but Flynn got the ball and threw to first.

SEVENTH INNING.
In the seventh inning Cummings flied out to Zinsar and Eaton and Whiting struck out.

EIGHTH INNING.
In the eighth inning Flynn struck out. Harter got a single. Wilson flied out to Howard. McLean hit to Shannon and was out at first.

FOURTH INNING.
Lawrence broke the ice in the fourth inning by scoring on two battery errors. Wilson opened with a single, went to second on McLean's sacrifice, and went to third on a passed ball. Murch struck out. Devine drew a base on balls and stole second. Wilson scored on a wild pitch. Cummings flied out to Howard.

Lowell descended on Whiting's curves in the latter half of the fourth inning and sent three men over the plate. Zinsar opened with a single to left field. Howard bunted to Whiting.

NINTH INNING.
Murch got a single to center field. Devine hit down the first base line and went out to Duff. Cummings flied out to Warner. Brennan went to bat for Eaton and got a single. Murch going to third. Whiting flied out to Fish.

DIAMOND NOTES.
Cleveland wants to get Frank LaPorte from the Red Sox, but the chances are much against such a deal. Harry Welch of the Omaha team is leading the western league with the stick with an average of .355.

Third Baseman Grant of the Phillies is taking the exams at the Harvard law school at present. Sammy Strang Nicklin is likely to land with Brooklyn, as Manager Donovan needs a utility infielder.

At Maul, scout for the Philadelphia American League club is in Worcester, and is looking about New England for likely youngsters for Connie Mack. Lawrence is making a great fight for the lead in the New England league.

Bowerman caught 40 games before being forced out by a broken finger. Does it pay to work one man with all kind of pitchers is a question worth considering.

Pres. John J. Taylor has practically closed deals for two of the finest young pitchers in the country to join the Red Sox next September. He is hustling now for another utility infielder.

The Union League has thrown up the sponge. The public will now stand for only organized baseball where all offenders against baseball law can be punished.

Hugh Duffy is gradually bringing his Providence team into the running. The Clamdiggers have won four out of the last six games on the road.

Manager Cantillon claims that he has an option on Pitcher Wood, a young man plying phenomenal ball this spring for Kansas City. George Tebeau desires Cantillon's claim, and there is bound to be some fun with the chances of Cantillon's defeat.

THE HIGH SCHOOL

Will Hold Graduation Exercises June 22

SCHOOLS TO CLOSE JUNE 19

Dates of Other Exercises Not Fixed

The High school graduation will take place at the Opera House Monday evening, June 22. There will be 183 graduates as against the former class of two years ago which numbered 206. The program for the exercises has not as yet been prepared. Eleanor Murray will be the salutatorian.

The graduating exercises in the other schools will take place on or after closing day, Friday, June 19. The time for the exercises is set by the teachers. It is the desire on the part of the teachers, however, to hold the exercises on closing day or the next day, Saturday. Some of the exercises will be in the forenoon and some in the afternoon.

The question of tickets to the graduating exercises of the High school is a bit perplexing inasmuch as the demand for them is really too great.

The graduates are allowed four tickets each, the school committee men are allowed ten each and the superintendent of schools gets ten and that is pretty nearly a full house. The seating capacity of the Opera house is about 1,000 and providing that all of the graduates, the school committee men and the superintendent should use all of their tickets it would mean the occupation of 772 seats.

FAST TIME MADE
At Trials for the Olympic Team

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—Clear hot weather and a fast track were the ideal conditions that favored the candidates for membership on the American Olympic team.

100 metres (109 yards). Olympic record 10 4-5 secs. held by Jarvis, America. Two heats: First three in each to qualify.

First heat—Won by J. A. Rector, University of Virginia; second, Robert Cloghan, Irish-American A. C., New York; third, J. D. Whitman, U. of P. Time, 10 4-5. F. M. Ramsdell, U. of Texas, failed to qualify.

Second heat—Won by Lawson Robertson, Irish-American A. C.; second, N. J. Cartmell, U. of P.; third, Sherman, Dartmouth. Time, 10 1-5 secs. 110 metres hurdles (121 yards). Olympic record 15 2-5 seconds, held by Krauszelin, America (no trial heats). Won by L. V. Howe, Yale; second, D. R. Robbins, Yale; third, C. Christine, Penna. Time, 15 4-5 secs.

HON. BUTLER AMES

Accused of Giving Out Forged Tickets to Florida Republican Convention

Heated Debate at Session of National Committee in Chicago—Personalities Were Exchanged and at One Time it Looked As If There Would Be Trouble—Much Bitterness Shown in the Arguments

CHICAGO, June 6.—The national commission decided the contests over the seats of delegates at large and in the second district of Florida in favor of the Taft faction headed by National Committeeman Coombs.

Much bitterness was shown in the arguments before the commission. Mr. Stripling, who headed the fight for the anti-Taft people, charged that Butler Ames of Massachusetts was responsible for the giving out of tickets to the Florida convention which Mr. Stripling declared had been forged.

When the motion to decide in favor of the Taft delegates was made at the conclusion of the hearing Committee-man Scott of Alabama moved as an amendment that the anti-Taft delegation be seated. This motion was seconded by Committeeman Crane of Massachusetts but on a viva voce vote the amendment was lost and the original motion prevailed and the Taft delegates were seated.

ARTHUR CONNORS IS
Was Awarded Honors in Penmanship

Honors have come again, the third time this year, to the Dominican Nuns of St. Michael's school for the really excellent work of their pupils in penmanship. Heretofore the girls have taken the lead, but now Master Arthur Connors has the well merited distinction of being the first boy of the school to receive a diploma this year from the American School of Penmanship.

LOWELL CASES
Will be Heard in East Cambridge

The superior court, criminal session, will open Monday at Cambridge and the Lowell cases have been assigned as follows:

MONDAY.
Dunlavy and Kerwin, adultery. Agnes Greenwood, appeal from sentence to Sherborn. Bridget E. Dolan, appeal from sentence to Sherborn. Joseph Bruce, appeal from sentence to Massachusetts reformatory. Mary E. Martin, appeal from sentence to Sherborn. Lizzie Lannon, appeal from sentence of five months in jail. Vincent Tremblay, felonious assault. George Pappas, breaking and entering and larceny. Mary Whitley, appeal from sentence to Sherborn. Lizzie Guthrie, appeal from sentence to Sherborn for fornication.

IS RECOVERING
Smallpox Patient Doing Well

George Williamson, the smallpox patient at the contagious hospital, is doing well. He was able to sit up for a little while yesterday and today.

Williamson thought he was immune from smallpox. After having been vaccinated several years ago he went through a smallpox epidemic in a lumber camp and was the only one to escape.

Once since then he was living in a corporation boarding house where a case of smallpox developed and he had to submit to vaccination. Feeling that he was already immune he, as soon as the doctor got through with him, washed the virus from his arm. Williamson is very philosophic. He allows that his present attack was coming to him. "I was too cock sure," he says.

The board of health is congratulating itself that no more cases have been reported and the board feels that there wasn't any contagion from the Williamson case.

CHIEF WHITNEY
Issues Circular Relative to Portable Booths

The following circular letter relative to the use of portable booths has been issued by Jophanus H. Whitney, chief of the Massachusetts District Police:

Permission to use portable booths which have been approved by this department does not extend to their use in any theatre or public hall in a city or town in which permanent booths have been installed. Permission to use portable booths is only intended to cover the temporary exhibition, for one night, of moving pictures in places of assembly such as schools, churches, associations, lodge rooms, etc., where, in the judgment of this department, it is not practicable to install permanent booths made in accordance with our specifications already published.

All permission for the use of portable booths are subject to the directions of the state inspector of factories and public buildings in whose district it is desired to use a portable booth.

Notice should be sent to the office of the district police at least one week before the date on which it is desired to use a portable booth, to enable the inspector to properly investigate the conditions under which the booth is to be used. Notice must also state the portion of the building in which the booth is to be located.

DESPERATE FIGHT

Alleged Robbers Barricaded in a Vacant House Near Pittsburg

PITTSBURG, June 6.—While attempting to arrest four men about 10 o'clock this morning near Elizabeth, County Detective Englehart shot and killed one of the men and was himself wounded twice. The men are alleged to be implicated in the holdup and robbery of the Monongahela Consolidated Coal & Coke Co.'s general store last Thursday morning.

The other three men are barricaded in a vacant house holding a posse of citizens in check with rifles and revolvers. An automobile carrying six county detectives left here at 10:30 this morning. A desperate battle is expected to occur when the detectives reach the scene.

NEBRASKA MONEY
WAS TAKEN FROM NATIONAL COMMITTEE'S FUNDS.

NEW YORK, June 6.—What ever money was sent to Nebraska for use in the campaign of 1904, was taken from the general fund of the democratic national committee, which was made of voluntary contributions from writers by Wm. F. Sheehan of this city to William J. Bryan at Lincoln, Neb., on June 1st and made public today. The letter bears upon the allegation which has been published that Thomas F. Ryan contributed \$15,000 to the state campaign in Nebraska in 1904 through William F. Sheehan, chairman of the democratic national committee, who, it was charged, gave the money to T. S. Allen of Nebraska.

POLICE CAPTAIN

Sent to Prison for Contempt

NEW YORK, June 6.—A sentence of thirty days imprisonment and a fine of \$500 imposed upon Police Captain Kuhne of Brooklyn for making photographs of Frank Jenkins for the police records was affirmed yesterday by the appellate division of the supreme court. Mr. Jenkins was president of the Williamsburg Trust company of Brooklyn until last fall, when he was arrested on criminal charges growing out of the closing of the trust company. An order of court directing Captain Kuhne not to photograph Mr. Jenkins was served upon the captain, but Jenkins was seized in the street and taken into the police headquarters and photographed. For this Captain Kuhne was charged with contempt of court.

J. F. O'BRIEN

APPOINTED COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS AT PLATTSBURG.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—President Roosevelt today appointed John F. O'Brien collector of customs at Plattsburg, N. Y., to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Walter Withersbee. Mr. O'Brien was endorsed by both Senators Platt and Dewey, the original objection of Senator Platt to him having recently been withdrawn.

SILVER WEDDING.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Thomas will celebrate their silver wedding anniversary at their home, 20 Central street, this evening. Mr. Thomas is the well known contractor.

LAWYER RECALCULATING NAMED.
Peter A. May Jr., went to Boston today in the interest of some of the creditors of Thomas F. Adams who went into bankruptcy some time ago and secured the appointment of George Branding as trustee.

FUNERALS.
COUGHLIN.—The funeral of James Coughlin took place this morning and interment was in the Catholic cemetery in charge of C. H. Melloy & Sons.

PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS

THE DATES OF GRADUATION EXERCISES.

St. Michael's parochial school in Sixt street will close Friday, June 26th, on the same day the public schools close. The immediate graduation exercises will be held on Tuesday, June 23.

DORCHESTER CELEBRATES.
BOSTON, June 6.—With fitting ceremonies Dorchester today celebrated its 275th anniversary of its settlement. The military parade and athletic features of former years were omitted. Historical exercises forming the principal feature of the celebration.

Prof. Hugh Brown, formerly of this city, now of the naval observatory at Washington, D. C., is in town enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

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THE WHITE PLAGUE

English Doctor Seeks Method to Provide Immunity From it

CHICAGO, June 6.—Although the scores of physicians who addressed the American Medical association on the subject of tuberculosis during the last week limited their predictions to the checking of the "white plague" through hygienic methods, a confident young Englishman, Dr. Gerald R. Webb, told the National Association for the Study of Prevention of Tuberculosis that he hoped to establish a method for securing immunity from the disease.

Dr. Webb is still a young man and in his home in Colorado Springs where he was because of his own dread of lung trouble he intends to make his life work the isolation of the tuber-

closis germ for the purpose of experimenting along lines aiming toward the establishment of immunity. His report to the association was a brief preliminary statement of his experiments upon mice with the poison of malignant anthrax, a deadly disease frequent among hares and occasionally found in man.

He stated that while his early efforts to prepare his definitive subject so that an additional amount of the bacilli could not affect them had not been fruitful, more lately he had succeeded in filling the mice with enough of the germs so that they were immune from attacks of disease. When he has completed his work in this line he said he intends to turn his undivided attention to experiments to tuberculosis cultures injected into guinea pigs.

MORTALITY

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 6, 1908.

Population 30,550, total deaths 33, deaths under five 9, acute lung diseases 1.

Death rate: 17.51 against 16.18 and 11.33 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Typhoid fever 2, scarlet fever 2, diphtheria 4, measles 22. Board of Health.

MEXICAN SENATE

VOTED \$25,000,000 FOR IRRIGATION WORK.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 6.—The bill providing for the appropriation of \$25,000,000 for the irrigation of the republic was passed by the senate yesterday. This makes the measure a law. Congress took another step in the protective tariff policy by raising the import duty on iron and steel one per cent. per kilo yesterday.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The regular meeting of Pasadena-way tribe of Red Men was held last night and the degree staff performed the ceremony of adoption on two pale-faces. Brother Harry A. Parker had charge of the electrical and mechanical effects. The warrior's degree will be exemplified at the next meeting.

A circular was received from the great C. of R. Alexander Gilmore of Boston giving an interesting account of the order in this reservation. There were long talks by Past Great Sachem J. G. Connor of Lynn on the supreme affairs and Brother Algy Holt of Squamit Tribe, 49, of East Jitoy, New Hampshire on degree work. At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

Loyal Victoria lodge, I. O. O. F., M. U., held its regular meeting in Grafton hall, Merrimack street, Thursday night when the regular routine of business was transacted. Four new members were initiated. There was a committee appointed to take charge of Memorial Sunday which takes place on the second Sunday in July.

ECHO LODGE, N. E. O. P.

Echo lodge, No. 44, N. E. O. P., met last night in regular form. Routine business was transacted and one application for increase of insurance was considered. An invitation from Talbot lodge, to attend their 20th anniversary was read and accepted.

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NOTICE

The I. O. O. F. M. U.

will hold their memorial services on Sunday, June 7, at 1:30 p. m. Members are requested to meet at Grafton hall, Merrimack st. with dark clothes, white gloves and ladies. Members having relatives are requested to wear same. A large attendance is desired.

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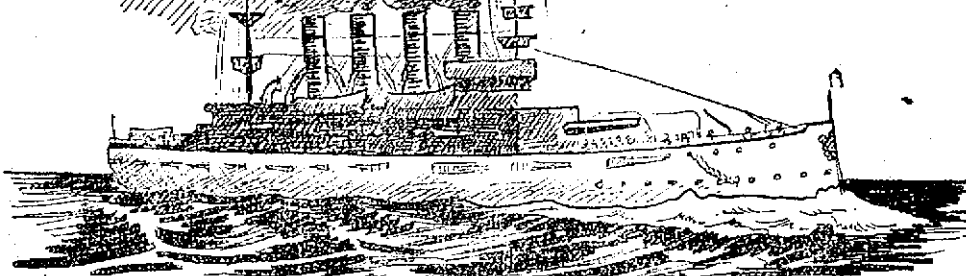
FOUR MEN KILLED

Ten Injured by Accident on the Cruiser Tennessee

LOS ANGELES, Cal., June 6.—Four men were killed and ten injured on board the armored cruiser Tennessee at sea yesterday, when a boiler tube broke, hurling fragments of iron about the engine room and filling it with scalding steam. The accident happened an hour after the cruiser left Santa Barbara on her way with

were stricken dead at their posts. Hoxes and Wood crawled into the adjoining fire room number 11 and died almost instantly.

The surviving seamen, all of whom suffered some injuries, and with the greatest heroism in doing their unfortunate mates. Rear Admiral Sabre himself escaped death or serious injury in the fatal fire pit by a narrow



U. S. CRUISER TENNESSEE ON WHICH THE ACCIDENT OCCURRED.

six other vessels of the Pacific fleet to Los Angeles.

Only the most fragmentary news of the disaster had been received up to 1 o'clock last evening, for the cruiser had not yet arrived at San Pedro.

What meagre details have been learned were gleaned from official wireless dispatches, transmitted from the squadron to the wireless stations at San Francisco. The cruiser was standing at full speed when the explosion occurred. The force of the explosion was terrible, and many of the injured, were fatally hurt. It is believed.

Orders were flashed to Dr. W. A. Welton, local marine surgeon at San Pedro, directing him to prepare for the caring of the injured sailors. According to the wireless dispatches, no officers were injured. The damage to the ship is not known at this time, but it is likely that the boiler rooms of the ship have suffered seriously.

The seamen were not landed until this morning, when they were taken ashore at San Pedro and brought to the marine hospital at Los Angeles, where arrangements had already been made to receive them.

Several of the other cruisers of the fleet arrived at Long Beach, Redondo and other ports, ahead of the Tennessee and it was evident that the ship had been considerably disabled by the accident. The Tennessee is Admiral Sabre's flagship, commanding the second division of the Pacific fleet.

The dead:

George Wood, water tender, Scranton, Pa.

E. C. Boggs, second class fireman, Woodlawn, Ala.

A. Reinhold, machinist's mate, second class, Germany.

George W. Meek, first class fireman, Skidmore, Kansas.

Fatally injured:

S. S. Stenatt, first class fireman, Norfolk, Va.

F. S. Maxwell, second class fireman, Toughkoma, Chester county, Penn.

Seriously injured:

E. J. Burns, coal passer, New York.

Walter S. Burns, coal passer, Brooklyn, N. Y.

J. P. A. Carroll, second class fireman, Hartford, Conn.

Slightly injured:

R. W. Watson, fireman, second class, East St. Louis, Ill.

R. E. Rutledge, coal passer, Athens, Ga.

G. M. Corns, fireman, second class, Ironton, Ohio.

A. Hayes, water tender, Brooklyn, N. Y.

H. Fitzpatrick, fireman, first class, Brooklyn, N. Y.

A blast of white steam from the ventilators told those on deck of the accident, and Lieut. Commander S. S. Robinson, the navigator, instantly sounded a general alarm and dropped twenty lines of hose ready for instant use in case of fire. Within the doomed fire room, number 3, amidships, on the starboard side, which is one of the sixteen enclosed fire compartments, the surviving seamen were fighting for life. Reinhold and Meek

vision and had been under way for over two hours, the engines, boilers and all machinery working perfectly and fully equal to the acceptance trial.

The boiler was of the standard, tubular kind, the Babcock and Wilcox make, used on many warships. It consisted of a large cluster of four-inch tubes carrying water into the main boiler.

Only one tube, and this one of the bottom tier, exploded.

The break was less than six inches in length. There was no wreckage, but the explosion was described by the survivors as frightful. So great was the blast of soot and steam that every man in the room was blackened from head to foot, while those closest to the break were cooked alive. There are 16 similar fire rooms but each is separated by steel doors and the men in adjoining compartments did not feel the explosion. When the first outside rescuers entered the fire room it was in utter darkness, the steam and soot covering the electric lights and ceiling and walls with a thick coat. The men in this fire pit work naked except for short trousers and slippers, and the dead and injured were blackened almost beyond recognition.

The boys dropped all over the room

stayed at their posts to the last. The accident served to demonstrate the complete efficiency of the naval fire drill. There was no confusion.

At a late hour last night Sternatt and Maxwell were expected to die at any time.

Rear Admiral Sabre, when seen on board by a representative of the Associated Press said:

"The explosion was one of those accidents which cannot be prevented."

SAIL TO ARCTIC

Peary Says Funds Not Sufficient Yet

NEW YORK, June 6.—Commander Robert E. Peary, the Arctic explorer said today that the sailing of Captain Bartlett and a crew of eleven men from St. John's to man Peary's ship Roosevelt in which the explorer hopes to make a second expedition in quest of the North Pole this summer, does not mean that sufficient funds have yet been raised to finance the expedition. Peary plans to leave New York about July 1 and if he is to go at all this year he says the crew must come on here at once to get the ship in readiness.

"I am hopeful of securing the balance needed to insure a start as I have planned," said Commander Peary, "and I am having Captain Bartlett and the crew come on here to put the Roosevelt in readiness for her long cruise. If I am unable to raise the balance of the money needed it will mean that the expense of bringing the crew on here, keeping them here a month and sending them back again will be added to loss."

Captain Bartlett has selected a crew of hardy New England seamen with plenty of their adaptability to Arctic exploration. They are expected here early next week on the steamer Siberian.

MAIDEN TRIP

OF THE PRINZ FREDERICH WILHELM.

BREMEN, Wednesday, May 27.—A notable addition to the trans-Atlantic fleet of the North German Lloyd, the Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm, will start on her maiden voyage to New York on June 8. She is only surpassed in size in this company's fleet by the Kron Prinzessin Cecilie and the Kaiser Wilhelm II. Her dimensions are:

Displacement 25,500 tons (4000 tons more than the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse); length 698 feet; beam 67 feet, depth 44 feet, six inches; draft 28 feet, 9 inches; capacity, 17,500 register tons gross, 10,800 net. She is fitted with two quadruple expansion engines developing 14,000 indicated horse power and her speed is 16½ knots. She is intended for passengers and freight. Accommodation is provided for 2319 passengers and has a crew of 400.

Besides this vessel the North German Lloyd has another and bigger ship on the stocks at the Vulkan works. She is to be named the George Washington and will be the largest modern passenger steamer hitherto afloat. She will not be ready for the American service until next season.

40th ANNIVERSARY

OF THE BRANCH ST. SUNDAY SCHOOL TO BE OBSERVED.

The Branch Street Baptist Sunday school will observe its 40th anniversary tomorrow with special exercises. Rev. E. A. Whitteer, the well known Evangelist, who was the first pastor of the church, will deliver the anniversary address at the forenoon service. He will also speak at the Sunday school session at noon. There will be special music and all friends of the Sunday school and church are invited.

NORTHFIELD CONFERENCE.

A feature of the Christian Workers' conference at East Northfield this season will be an afternoon session during the week beginning August 2 on men's organizations within the church, including brotherhoods, Bible classes and similar associations. A number of prominent leaders in this movement have been invited to be present, and the discussions will be directed especially along practical lines, with a view to emphasizing in what ways these organizations may be made most efficient in the work of the church.

A RUPTURE

BETWEEN SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO IS EXPECTED.

CETTINE, Montenegro, June 6.—The Serbian charge d'affaires left this city today on an indefinite leave of absence. His departure is expected to be followed by a complete rupture of the diplomatic relations between Serbia and Montenegro. His departure is an outcome of the testimony heard during the trial of fifty-two persons accused of conspiracy against the Montenegrin government.

Two of the witnesses declared that George, crown prince of Serbia, was directly connected with these plots which came to light through the discovery of a store of bombs in Cetttine to overthrow the existing regime in Montenegro.

WAGE REDUCTION

FOR EMPLOYEES OF AMERICAN THREAD CO.

HOLYOKE, June 6.—Orders have been received at the Merrick and Hadley plants of the American Thread Co. from the general offices in New York for a reduction in the wages of the 2000 employees of this company here, ranging between five and ten per cent. The reduction affects both the regular employees and salaried officers and is effective on Monday. It is believed here that the reduction is only temporary and was decided upon rather than curtail the operations of the mills.

COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Cotton futures opened steady. July, 10.15; Aug. 9.95; Oct. 9.42; Dec. 8.99; Jan. 8.35.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

NIGHT IN JAIL

Raymond Hitchcock Behind Prison Bars

LAWYERS TRY FOR HIS RELEASE

Jerome May Agree to His Liberation

NEW YORK, June 6.—Counsel for Raymond Hitchcock were prepared today to make a determined effort to save their client from a Sunday in the Tombs. When his trial on charges preferred by several little girls was suddenly interrupted yesterday by adjournment until Monday he was denied the right to have continued the bail bond upon which he had been at liberty. Justice Goff took the ground that the bail had been forfeited when Hitchcock presented himself for trial and that it could not be renewed without the consent of the district attorney. This consent his counsel was unable to gain yesterday and as a result the comedian spent the night behind prison walls.

There were several avenues open to the lawyers who would bring about Hitchcock's release. First, there was the possibility that Mr. Jerome might grant permission withheld by his assistant, Mr. Curran, yesterday, to have the bail bond continued. Failing in that the attorneys might appeal to the court to show why their client should be subjected to what they contend is unnecessarily severe treatment. It seemed likely that in the latter event Hitchcock's attorneys would have the assistance of counsel for Carl Fischer Hansen, a well known lawyer, who is under indictment and will appear for trial before Justice Goff next week.

They desire a court ruling on the question of bail pending trial before their case is called as they foresee a possibility of Fischer Hansen being committed to prison during his trial unless some immediate steps are taken to prevent it.

RED NOSES

Do you suffer the embarrassment of carrying around an extremely red nose? or are you tortured with a red, blotchy or pimply face? If so, you are foolish to stand it long; it is the simplest and easiest thing in the world to get rid of. No matter what might have been the cause, the following harmless and inexpensive treatment will positively remove all traces of your embarrassment in from two to four weeks.

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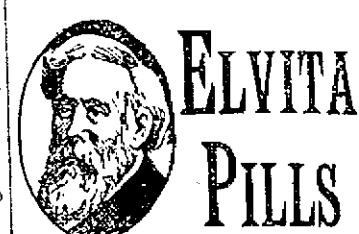
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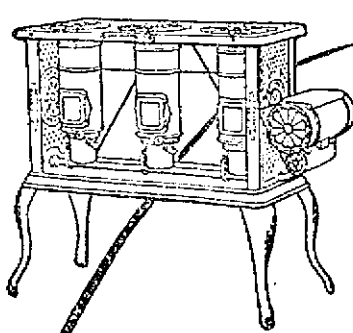
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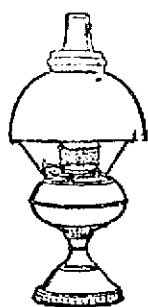
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THE REPUBLICANS

May Select New York Man for Vice President

CHICAGO, June 2.—The republican national committee began its deliberations today with a much smaller attendance of outsiders and a far less apparent interest in the proceedings than was manifested yesterday. The first contest to be taken up was that of the delegates at large from Florida and this was followed by the hearing of the evidence in the contests in the second and third Florida districts. National committeeman Combs of Florida headed the Taft faction and was assisted by Judge Joseph E. Lee, colored, of Jacksonville, the opening argument for the Taft people being made by M. MacFarlane of Tampa.

The speakers for the anti-Taft element were J. N. Stripling and J. H. Dickerson. Next on the program were the five districts from Georgia. It was generally thought that contests would be held in six districts from this state but one of them failed to qualify and was dropped.

After Georgia the committee planned to take up the contests in the first, fifth, sixth and seventh districts of Kentucky.

It was believed by the members of the committee that these three states would occupy the entire time of today's session.

It was said by a number of prominent politicians who were gathered around the committee room before the

LOWELL CLERKS BURTON'S SPEECH

Grand Outing by Merchants' Association Nominating Taft Will Take 20 Minutes

The Merchants' association of Lowell has decided to give its clerks a grand outing on the first Thursday in August or August 6. It is expected that 900 clerks will take the trip. The party will go from Lowell to Chelsea in special cars and after viewing the ruins will cross the city of Boston and will pass out through Beacon street and Commonwealth avenue to Northwedge park where dinner will be served.

The afternoon will be spent in attending the theatre. In the dance hall and in utilizing the various facilities for amusement around the park. There will be a short program of sports including rowing, running and other contests for which suitable prizes will be given. In the evening the return will be made by way of Newton, Waltham and Lexington. Already 15 jumbo cars, each good for 65 passengers, have been engaged for the trip.

The cars will carry large banners bearing the inscription, "Outing of Merchants' Association, Lowell." The minor details of the outing have yet to be arranged but enough has been done to give ample assurance that the outing will be one of the most successful events ever proposed in Lowell.

McKINLEY STATUE

Was Unveiled in Philadelphia Today

PHILADELPHIA, June 6.—In the presence of a large crowd a life size statue in bronze of President McKinley erected on the south plaza of the city hall through private subscription of citizens of Philadelphia and vicinity was unveiled today and presented to the committee by the William McKinley Memorial Association. Following the unveiling dedication exercises were held in the Academy of Music at which James Brock who was assistant attorney general of the United States at the time of President McKinley's assassination was the orator. The statue was the work of Charles Lopez, sculptor, now deceased and Albert Ross, architect.

Prior to the unveiling a military parade was held in Broad street.

WADE ELLIS

HAS DRAFT OF REPUBLICAN PLATFORM READY.

NORFOLK, Va., June 4.—Wade Ellis, attorney general of Ohio who has been at Virginia Beach for several days preparing the first draft of the republican national platform will leave tonight for Washington and thence will go to Chicago. "The only work that has been done on the platform," said Mr. Ellis today, "has been the attempt to get together in concrete form some suggestions for the resolutions committee which might be made the basis for work to be done by that committee on that platform. There is no intention of preparing a platform in advance of the meeting of the committee."

BIG FEDERATION

Of the Local Catholic Societies

TO BE FORMED TOMORROW

Indications Point to Successful Meeting

In Hibernian hall tomorrow afternoon will be held a convention of Catholic societies with a view to permanently organizing a local federation, and if present plans do not fail the federation will start off tomorrow under most auspicious conditions. The object of the formation of a federation grew out of the St. Patrick's day banquet to successfully conducted by the societies and the suggestion of that committee has been met with a hearty response in all the societies. Seven delegates will represent each society, and Mr. James O'Sullivan, the chairman of the banquet committee will call the meeting to order. The preliminary steps, such as the adoption of a constitution and by-laws and the election of permanent officers will be taken up tomorrow. It is believed, though of course, permanent officers may not be chosen until the constitution has been prepared and submitted.

It is understood that the formation of this local federation is apart from any federation of the kind existing elsewhere for local societies, and will not be identified with any other body.

A pleasing feature of tomorrow's meeting will be the exhibition of the finely engrossed resolutions to Congressman O'Connell of Boston, previously referred to in The Sun. The work of framing to be a local federation distinctly for local societies, and will not be identified with any other body.

The Taft delegates at large from Florida and the Taft delegates from the second district of Florida were seated today by the national committee.

SUDDEN DEATH

WILLIAM J. OSDECK PASSED AWAY

William J. Osdeck died very suddenly this morning at his home, 50 Lee street. He had been employed in the Merrimack mills and was 25 years old. He retired last evening apparently in good health and spirits. When he was called at 7 o'clock this morning it was discovered that he was very ill. A physician was summoned but he passed away within a short time, convulsions at the heart being the cause of death. He leaves one brother in Woburn. The remains were taken to the rooms of Horace Ela & Co.

CASTRO'S PAPER

Speaks in Praise of Roosevelt

CARACAS, Wednesday, May 20.—President Castro's paper, El Constitucional, for the first time in years has words of praise for President Roosevelt. His speech made at the laying of the corner stone of the new building of the American republics inspired this editorial comment:

"We have arrived then at the hour of community of interests; Roosevelt invites us to the union and inasmuch as this doctrine has overflowed in torrents from the heights of the capitol in Caracas expounded by our magistrate, we understand that the insuperable barrier which the controversy had raised has broken down and that Roosevelt is drawing near and unfolding on high the flag of fraternity."

Therefore the continental unity of America is established as an inviolable dogma and the principle of the Monroe doctrine appears as an efficient doctrine which could be accepted in the international codes as long as it guarantees the interests placed in its care and keeps within the limits of these codes. The high tide of Castro in holding up on high the right of peoples has made the threatening big attack fall from the hands of Roosevelt."

The editorial continues: "We were the first, perhaps, to jump into the ring when we saw the demonstration of President Roosevelt's rage toward the small republics of the south and when in the form of a violent attack nothing escaped from his threats and from his long litigation maintained by our foreign office with England when the dictatorial tendency of the North American magistrate reached the most alarming proportions; and it was at that time that Castro, rising to a level not customary in the vehement defense of his fatherland and of its prerogatives, obtained the height of patriotism which is only obtained by men loyal to the religion of duty and of honor."

GREAT FLOODS

HAVE CAUSED MUCH DAMAGE TO SHIPPING.

BILBAO, June 6.—Floods in the Nervia river have caused much damage to shipping at this port. The steamers Ural and Antonio were carried from their moorings today and crashed into the two other boats. The four vessels were beached. Many small craft have been carried out to sea. No lives thus far are reported lost.

PAPERS ON FIRE

CAUSED AN ALARM FROM BOX

The alarm from box 28 at 12.30 this afternoon was for a blaze in a barrel of old papers in a shed in Cheever street near Aiken street, supposed to have been set by children who were playing in and about the shed. No damage.

James Prokes, the wrestler, has returned home from a profitable western trip during which he met Frank Gough, Leo Pardo and Shad Link in hard-fought matches. He will remain here for the summer dividing his time between Lowell and Frank Moran's Alma hotel at Beverly beach.

BOY'S CONFESSION JOHN MARCOTTE

He Says That He Killed His Two Cousins Appealed From a House of Correction Sentence

DEDHAM, June 6.—Anton Santo, a lad of 14, startled Chief of Police Sackett of Norwood, at the close of the session of the northern Norfolk district court today when he declared that he killed his two cousins, James and Frank Martin, in Brooklyn last March. He said that he buried the body of Frank in the woods. He murdered the two boys, he said, by hitting them on the head with stones.

Young Santo told the chief of police that he lived at present with a cousin, Anthony Santo, at 21 Cottage street, East Boston. He said he had been in Boston about a month and had been employed as a water boy on the Norwood sewer. There have been several bicycle thefts about Norwood recently and Santo was brought into court today for examination in connection with closed and the chief of police had several papers were taken and several news-papers were taken and the lad in the court-room when he suddenly said that he wanted to tell them something. He said that he took his cousins for a long walk through the woods and he struck both of them over the head with large stones. He was unable to remember what became of the body of James Martin. Santo cannot fix the exact date of the alleged crime but says it was about March 1st.

The boy was immediately locked up to await an investigation. Chief Sackett communicated at once with the Brooklyn police.

Held on suspicion. NORWOOD, June 6.—Chief Sackett arrived here shortly after 1 o'clock with Young Santo and took him to the Norwood police station where he is being detained on suspicion. Santo's father was brought to the police station and questioned regarding the boy's confession. The father says that he knows of a family named Martin who lives in Brooklyn but does not know whether they have any children.

Chief Sackett talked with the Brooklyn police over the long distance telephone and a thorough investigation is being made. The chief declines to make any statement at present. He has arranged to examine several relatives and friends of Santo living in Norwood.

WALKED FROM BROOKLYN.

BOSTON, June 6.—The mother and two little sisters of young Santos were found at their home in East Boston today. When told of the confession that the boy had made they left at once for Norwood. Mrs. Santos believes that her son is not guilty of the crime to which he confessed. She says he walked here from Brooklyn a month or so ago.

THE MAYOR'S VETO

Continued. Magnolia street on the Fourth of July between 8.00 a. m. and 4.00 p. m., and on the seven days prior thereto, between the hours of 4.00 a. m. and 6.00 a. m., for the purpose of reaching a place of automobiles. I find that it clearly is not within the province of the city government to restrict the use of public highways in the manner proposed, as appears by the following correspondence:

Executive department, Lowell, May 28, 1908.

James G. Hill, Esq., City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:—I enclose herewith a copy of an order presented for my approval, entitled "Order Authorizing Lowell Automobile club exclusive use of certain highways for speed purposes." I am interested in the success of the proposed automobile race on the coming Fourth of July, and I am willing to have granted to its managers all proper authority and rights necessary for the supervision of the course and the control of spectators, but I realize that the city is not authorized to grant temporarily suspended in any way that will result in possible damages, and I therefore beg to request your opinion whether any legal objections exist to the approval of this order and if its provisions, if approved, would involve the city in any liability in case accidents should occur.

I shall appreciate a reply to my early convenience, as I have but nine days for the consideration of the order.

Respectfully yours, Frederick W. Farnham, Mayor.

Office of City Solicitor, Lowell, June 5, 1908.

Hon. Frederick W. Farnham, Mayor, City of Lowell.

Dear Sir:—

In a communication dated May 28, you have asked my opinion as to whether any legal objections exist to the approval of the order entitled "Authorizing the Lowell Automobile club exclusive use of certain highways for speed tests." On July 4th, next, between 8 a. m. and 4 p. m., and one of the seven preceding days, between 4 a. m. and 6 a. m.

While the city council has the power to close public ways to traffic in the public ways at any rate of speed; the mayor of a city may grant permits to persons to ride bicycles upon specified portions of the public ways, B. L. ch. 32, s. 9; and the mayor and aldermen may grant permits to drive automobiles or motor cycles in full climbing contests during a specified time and upon specified parts of the public way. Acts of 1908, ch. 283.

But as both these powers are to be strictly construed I do not think either of them would authorize the enactment of the order in question. Therefore it is my opinion that if Your Honor shall sign this order you will be approving an ultra vires act.

Chapter 283 of the acts of 1908 is as follows:

Section 1. The mayor and board of aldermen of a city or the selection of a town may, after a public hearing, upon special occasions and subject to such regulations concerning the closing, use and control of the highway as they deem necessary for public convenience and safety, grant permits to persons to ride automobiles or motor cycles in full climbing contests during a specified time and upon specified parts of the public way at any rate of speed."

If what is contemplated by the Lowell Automobile club is a hill climbing contest, then the club should petition the mayor and aldermen to grant permits in accordance with said act and a public hearing should be given before action is taken.

Respectfully submitted, J. Gilbert Hill, City Solicitor.

Suppose if the city could legally grant the privilege asked for, I should be glad to approve it, which I have no doubt, was adopted in good faith by the city government as an aid to a sort of a semi-public nature in which there is great public interest.

But we must bear in mind that our first duty is the protection of the city from possible damages and a due regard for laws for which indeed we may be responsible, but which we certainly cannot suspend at our pleasure. However great our desire to promote a project which would give entertainment and pleasure to thousands and contribute to the credit and enterprise of our city.

Respectfully submitted, Frederick W. Farnham.

NEW ST. PAUL'S

Continued. didn't live in the age of sliding doors, or else biblical history would have been different there is now a modern double door so arranged as to be opened on both sides in an instant. Then the main hall presents a much more cheerful appearance, the woodwork being of walnut finish and the walls of buff with deep leather dado.

The vestry presents an entirely new appearance and one would hardly recognize the old vestry with the great changes that have been made. The main vestry is done in oak with flat colors and tiled walls and ceiling. Comfortable opera chairs give it a large seating capacity. A new feature is the sliding walls that separate the main vestry from the class and other rooms adjoining. In each of these the walls or partitions slide up and down from the four foot waistcoating so that all rooms are combined into one practically, when occasion requires. These blind walls, and in fact none of the partitions of the vestry are solid but above the waistcoating, are of the silver ripple glass, which aside from its attractive appearance and ventilating properties also diffuses the light to a great extent so as to make the interior most cheerful under any kind of natural light, and entirely removing the gloomy effect found in so many churches. In the centre of the vestry at the farther end from the entrance is the pulpit and the chair, the latter having an interesting history. The pulpit and chair are of oak, as is the wall about them. On the pulpit is carved inscription "How beautiful unto us are Thy words, O Lord." The chair came originally from the John street church, with the organ and is carved beautifully, the carving being done by Rev. Mr. Dano, a former pastor of the John street church, and as may be seen from his handwork, an expert in wood carving. Across the top of the pulpit and chair is the inscription: "Ergo inquit, habet breath praises the Lord." On either side of the chair is the inscription: "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty" in highly ornamental letters. On the left of the pulpit in the rear is a cosy room for the minister with chapel green finish on the wood work, tinted walls and an ornamental border about the ceiling. Just beyond the minister's room is a large room for the choir, the room of the choir is a large room with a large organ, which will be placed in the tower to play when the main organ concludes, giving the most beautiful effect of an echo. The auditorium presents a bright and inviting aspect as one enters. It is finished in light and delicately blended colors, the gallery front is of white having an ornamental effect. The decorative work about the chancel is of a similar design to that before the fire, while a new order of white raised leaf work in imitation of ivory enhances the beauty of the interior. The pews are still at work on the auditorium and the organ and might remain unfinished. The woodwork and general supervision of the work was in charge of Thomas W. Johnson, the well-known contractor, and he may well be proud of his work. The painting, which is one of the principal features of the renovation, was done by John Sawyer & Co. and Athanas Constantine did the plastering. The silver ripple glass, which is an attractive feature of the vestry, was from C. B. Coburn's.

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FUNERALS

DOWN.—The funeral of Walter J. Downs was held yesterday afternoon. Services were held at the Edison cemetery chapel, Rev. A. R. Ditts officiating. The bearers were C. L. Stanley, C. H. Holgate, Charles E. Odell and Arthur Day. Burial was in the Edison cemetery. The floral offerings included a spray of white pinks from Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holgate; spray, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Odell; spray, Mrs. C. Foss; spray, Holgate family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stanley and a wreath, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Stanley. Undertaker Young had charge.

DEATHS

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Aged 15 years and 3 months, deceased had reached the stage when her genial and cheerful nature, her sunny disposition and her charm of gentle refinement, won for her the admiration and esteem of all those with whom she came in contact. She was beloved by her classmates and teachers at the Highland school, as by her Sunday school associates of the Highland M. E. church, and throughout her illness the thoughtful devotion and attention of her young friends helped to lighten her sufferings and doubtless helped also to inspire her with the rare fortitude which she displayed even when her last hope of recovery had vanished.

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HARRIS.—The Lowell friends of William L. Harris, late of the law firm of Burke, Osborn & Harris, will be pained to hear of his death, which occurred at his home in Nashua, Thursday as a result of pneumonia. The funeral will take place from the church of the Good Shepherd, Nashua, at 4 p. m. Sunday.

FUNERAL NOTICES

RICHARDSON.—In this city, June 5, Ruth, beloved daughter of J. Walter and Jennie M. Richardson, aged 15 years, 3 months. Funeral services will be held at her late home, 15 Stevens street, Monday at 2.30 p. m. Friends kindly invited. Burial private. Funeral in charge of Undertaker George Healey.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

John Marcotte who started Della Conroy in the head at Mrs. Brennan's boarding house, 19 John street, Tuesday morning and who was given a hearing Wednesday morning was in court today and got a sentence of six months in the house of correction. Through his counsel, James Stuart Murphy, Marcotte appealed and was held under \$500 bonds for the superior court.

Lawyer Murphy moved that the case be reopened as when the hearing was held Wednesday morning Marcotte was not represented by counsel. Judge Healey however refused to reopen the case, stating that all the testimony had been offered and that the case was continued till today for sentence only.

HELD IN \$400.

Henry Hopkins was arrested yesterday on warrants charging him with larceny of property from Henry J. O'Dowd and Henry O'Brien. In court this morning the complaint made by Mr. O'Brien was withdrawn but the complaint made by Mr. O'Dowd, which included two counts stating that on the ninth of March Hopkins stole a harness valued at \$20 and a blanket valued at \$2, while on the 5th of March it is alleged he stole a carriage pole valued at \$10 and a harness valued at \$2. Hopkins entered pleas of not guilty on both counts.

Daniel J. Donahue appeared for Hopkins and John J. Harvey for the government. The case was continued by agreement till Monday morning at ten o'clock the defendant being held under \$100 bonds.

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RYAN.—The funeral of Miss Mary Ryan took place yesterday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from her home, 108 Humphrey street and was largely attended. Services were conducted by Rev. F. A. Macdonald and there was singing by Mrs. W. H. Penh and Mr. Harry Hopkins. The bearers were Arnold and William Ryan, Robert Walton and Samuel McCord. Burial was in the Edison cemetery. This floral offerings included an anchor on base from Miss Carrie Herick and Mr. and Mrs. Walton; sheaf of wheat, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Ryan and family; bouquet of roses, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ryan and Miss Ethel Ryan; sprays, Miss Gladys Walton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. McCord and family, Mrs. F. P. Pettigill and Mrs. R. S. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. R. Courtney, Mrs. M. A. Brown and Mrs. Hudson and Mrs. Berry. Undertaker Young had charge.

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SENT TO JAIL. Mary J. Foley, for drunkenness, will spend the next two months in jail.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION

Thomas Hughes, a member of the celebrated "Dolly Burns" gang, pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him on the 20th of April, of trespassing on land of Boot Cotton mills, and the larceny of 40 pounds of lead attached to the roof. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to six months in the house of correction.

TO CITY FARM.

Margaret Lundy, an elderly woman, much the worse for drink, was very nervous when she appeared in court this morning, and will be sent to the city farm in order to recuperate.

THE DRUNKS.

Two first offenders escaped with \$2 fines. Michael Leary and Michael F. Sexton, second offenders, were fined \$6 each.

HIS THIRD TIME.

William Riley was charged with having been drunk. Riley claimed it was the first time he had ever been before the court, and came near escaping with a \$2 fine, when it was learned that he was in court twice, in March, having been arrested on the 12th of March, under the name of William Fleming, and again on the 20th of the month, under the name of Edward Maher. The court sentenced him to the state farm.

JAIL FOR COONEY.

Edward Cooney was charged with drunkenness and non-support. Mrs. Cooney testified that her husband had been away for six months until about three weeks ago, when he returned to Lowell. She said she did not care for him, all she wanted him to do was to let her alone. He will spend the next twenty days in jail. William Callahan, drunkenness, was fined \$5.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Atchafalpa	81 1/2
Amalgamated	67 1/2
Am. Sugar	123
Am. Car Foundry	24 1/2
Am. Smelting and Refining Co	75 1/2
Am. Locomotive	60
Anaconda	42 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	89 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	49
Chesapeake & Ohio	40 1/2
Chicago Great Western	27 1/2
Consolidated Gas	123
Colorado Fuel and Iron	27 1/2
Canada Pacific	160 1/2
Erie	22 1/2
Erie 1st	40
Great Northern pfd.	131 1/2
Interboro	11 1/2
Interboro pfd.	32 1/2
Lehigh Valley & Nashville	130 1/2
Missouri Pacific	27 1/2
Missouri, Kansas & T pfd.	61 1/2
Mexican Central	15 1/2
Missouri Pacific	47 1/2
Northern Pacific	130 1/2
New York Central	103 1/2
National Lead	67 1/2
Penn	121 1/2
Reading	91 1/2
Rock Island	113 1/2
Rock Island pfd.	37
Republic Iron and Steel pfd.	18
Republic Iron and Steel pfd.	68
Southern Railway pfd.	17 1/2
Southern Railway pfd.	45
Southern Railway pfd.	49 1/2
Southern Railway pfd.	52 1/2
U. S. Steel pfd.	102 1/2
U. S. Rubber	37 1/2
Utah Copper	33 1/2
Wabash	12
Wabash pfd.	24 1/2
Western Union	55

BOSTON STOCKS.

Boston Cons	11 1/2
Copper Range	72
Continental	22 1/2
Metac	109 1/2
Green's Cars	49 1/2
La Salle	14 1/2
Mass. Electric	10
Mass. Electric pfd.	44 1/2
Mass. Gas	34</

HEAD-ON COLLISION

Eight Persons Killed and Many Others Injured

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 6.—In a head-on collision between two special cars of the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric Railway company shortly before 8 o'clock last night, eight persons were killed outright and a score of others were seriously injured, some of them perhaps fatally. The collision was due to a confusion of orders, as the line has been running several special cars in connection with the commencement of the festivities at the naval academy. The dead are:

RICHARD NORTON, 25 years old, Baltimore.

A. H. Schultz, 40 years old, Baltimore.

POLICE PATROLMAN SCRIBNER, 40 years old, employed by the railway company at Academy Junction.

Unidentified white woman, about 25 years old, said to be from Baltimore and dressed in a ball costume.

ZACH O'NEW, 25 years old, New York, motorman of one of the wrecked cars.

RUTH SLAUGHTER, 5 years old, daughter of General Traffic Manager Wm. E. Slaughter of the road.

J. W. McDANIEL, Baltimore.

GEORGE WHITE, Baltimore.

The others more or less seriously injured are Thomas Williams, E. B. Williams, Harry Jacobson, Mrs. A. H. Schultz, Mrs. McDaniels, State Sen. P. J. Campbell, his daughter, Miss Minnie Campbell, W. W. White and Mrs. White, Fred W. Schlens, and J. H. Dennis, colored, all of Baltimore; Judge James R. Bradburn, Thomas Wilson and William Fine of this city, Miss Van Meter of Martinsburg, W. Va., and Wadsworth, motorman of one of the cars.

The unidentified woman who was killed is believed to be Miss Harris of Philadelphia. She and several of those injured were on their way to this city to attend the graduation ball at the naval academy.

The wreck occurred on a curve, which prevented the motorman of the cars from seeing more than a short distance ahead. It is said that the car from Baltimore was ordered to wait on a siding at Best's Gate, the station beyond Camp Parole, for the other car to pass. Why these orders were not carried out has not been ascertained.

The injured were taken from the wreck as rapidly as possible and brought to the Emergency hospital. Members of the train crew expressed their belief that the list of dead will be increased by one or two, perhaps more, when daylight makes possible a more thorough inspection of the wreck of the twisted cars and the bushes near the track.

WENT TO CONCORD

SAM WALTER FOSS CLUB ENJOYED TRIP.

The Sam Walter Foss Literary club visited Concord, Mass., Thursday and had an excellent time. The members took a special electric car at 8 a. m. and arrived in Concord at 9.30 o'clock. They were met at the square by carriages which conveyed them to the various points of interest around the town.

On returning from the sight-seeing an appetizing dinner was served at the Old Wright Tavern. The afternoon was spent in visiting the old cemeteries.

At 4.30 o'clock the special was boarded for the return trip to Lowell. The party arrived in Lowell at six o'clock. The club voted to accept the invitation given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., to have a table at their lawn party, to be given on June 18, on the lawn of Messrs. Quail and Coolidge on Methuen street, and will have a pound table. The next and last meeting of the club for the season will be held with Mrs. Fred Bascom, 208 Shaw street, on June 17th.

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PRES. MELLEN STORE ENTERED

And What He Has Accomplished

HIS METHOD OF DOING THINGS

Says He Wants Public Approval of His Plans

If a European traveling in this country were to pick up a current newspaper, what impression would he get of the president of the New Haven railroad? He would probably fail to apprehend certain interesting details in the career of Charles S. Mellen.

Who is this man?

First, he is one who, having passed most of his years in New England and served with success and distinction in another field, returns at a time in life when many successful men think of retiring from active business, and undertakes to develop a transportation field which the larger railroad factors have neglected.

In a period when many railroads are condemned for holding human life cheaply, Mr. Mellen so operates the New Haven that since his taking the presidency not a single passenger has been killed in a derailment or collision.

While legislatures in various parts of the country are passing acts to compel passenger rates to be reduced to two cent a mile, Mr. Mellen voluntarily adopts the two cent rate.

He buys trolley lines and extends them, in some cases constructing tracks parallel to the steam lines and everywhere making efforts to increase business by connecting up undeveloped territory. Informed that his trolley holdings are illegal, he offers to do, without a lawsuit, whatever the attorney general of Massachusetts may suggest.

Learning that Trunk line interests are negotiating for the Merchants and Miners' Transportation company, over which shippers at New Haven points enjoy their southern differential rate in competition with the Trunk lines, he obtains a half interest in the Merchants and Miners, thus preserving his indirect but cheaper route.

The Hepburn act having been interpreted to forbid the use of the northern differential route by the New Haven points unless the rate can be given alike to all New Haven territory, Mr. Mellen makes a contract with the Boston & Maine and the Canadian Pacific by which all New Haven points can use the cheaper northern route via Montreal, notwithstanding that in most cases, this gives the New Haven a shorter haul than it would get if the goods went over its own line to the Hudson by the direct and more expensive route.

Mr. Mellen reduces the rates on coal from New England ports to various interior points at an annual loss to the road of about \$500,000, which, through no fault of his, the large companies presently proceed to offset by raising their coastwise rates correspondingly.

Merchants of Boston asking for an outside freight steamship line to New York, Mr. Mellen puts one on and invites the merchants to make the rates which they desire.

Mr. Mellen introduces a liberal policy regarding improvements, concessions and other assistance to industrial establishments.

While other companies are resisting petitions elimination of grade crossings, Mr. Mellen rarely does so, usually joining the petition, and often bringing it himself, with the result that the New Haven spends more than the Boston and Maine and the Boston and Albany combined for this purpose in Massachusetts.

The passenger trains on Mr. Mellen's road more than 10 minutes late are less than 5 per cent. of the whole—a record unsurpassed in the world.

Although the railroads of southern New England have always opposed the competition of a Canal and Canal, Mr. Mellen favors it on the ground that it will help New England manufacturers; and the canal is now under construction.

In the face of the bitter opposition to his plans, Mr. Mellen declines to employ the lobby.

Now, if the traveler from Europe were to compare this record with what has been appearing in the newspapers, he would find a marvellous thing.

"You accuse," he would exclaim, "of restraining trade a man who constructs new facilities, provides a choice of routes and promotes traffic. You cry outlaw at a man who, regarding the rights of others, and regarding the Boston and Maine, accepts a franchise for his stock for a year, though at the time advised by counsel that prohibition by the legislature would be unconstitutional. You shout political corruption against a man who is not dealing in any way with lobby and who says he will carry out his plans with the approval of the public or not at all. Is it impossible for Massachusetts to get together with a man like this? If not, there must be something wrong with Massachusetts."

And wherein would the traveler err? Mr. Mellen has the ability, the resources, and the disposition to bring inestimable benefits to New England and he has expressed entire willingness to conform his methods to the desires of the Massachusetts people. Then why load him with chains? Is it not because they will do more good at large than in Limbo, both to morals and to business?—LYNN ITEM.

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THIEVES ROBBED McDONALD BROS' SALOON

Thieves broke into McDonald Brothers' saloon at the corner of Cohurn street and Lakeview avenue early yesterday and secured about \$15 in change which had been left in the register over night.

Entrance into the place was gained through a cellar window after which a portion of a bulkhead was ripped open. It appeared that the thieves intended to take the cash register with them, but they were evidently frightened by some person passing outside the window.

THIRD READING

Spanish War Vets Bill is Favored

BOSTON, June 6.—The bill to give veterans of the Spanish war a preference in the employment of the state over all persons except veterans of the civil war and women was ordered to a third reading in the house yesterday, 64 to 22, on a rising vote.

Mr. Cushing of Boston opposed the bill, declaring that it completely wiped out the spirit of the civil service rules and worked an injustice to every laboring man in the commonwealth.

Mr. Lomasney of Boston opposed the bill to provide that the commonwealth care for Boston's insane. He thought it unfair that Boston should have only one citizen on the board of three to fix the value of property taken for a new asylum. He favored an amendment by Mr. Brickley of Boston to provide a trial before a jury on the question of value. The Brickley amendment was rejected, 38 to 46.

The veto of the resolve in favor of the Murphy family of Lynn for land converted to public use was then taken up. Mr. Mansfield of Lynn arguing for passage over the veto. He admitted that the Murphys had no legal claim, but said their moral claim is complete. The veto was sustained by a vote of 47 to 102.

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REV. FR. RICHARDS

To Preach at St. Peter's Church

DURING TRIDUUM THIS MONTH

In Honor of the Sacred Heart

A triduum in honor of the feast of the Sacred Heart, will open at St. Peter's church on Wednesday evening, June 24.

On Wednesday evening the sermon will be delivered by Rev. Fr. Malley of Charlestown. On Thursday afternoon and evening confessions will be heard. The triduum will come to a close on Friday evening with a sermon by Rev. J. Haven Richards, S. J., the eloquent Jesuit of Boston, formerly president of Georgetown university. On Wednesday and Friday evenings benediction of the Blessed Sacrament will be given. The arrangements for the triduum are in charge of Rev. W. George Mullin, parish director of the Sacred Heart league.

LINCOLN CLUB

Elected New Officers Last Evening

The Lincoln club reorganized last night. Albert Wilby was chosen president, John Thomas vice-president, Charles A. Spencer treasurer, George B. McKiddie financial secretary, and Erson B. Barlow recording secretary. The club was in hard circumstances financially but Eugene G. Russell, chairman of the finance commission, stated last night that the club was on solid financial footing.

Several new members were admitted last night. The total membership is about 300. The club will be represented at the Mass. republican convention to be held in Boston the week after the Fourth. There was a large attendance and much enthusiasm.

The next meeting will be held Friday evening, the 12th, at 7:30 p. m.

Take a box of Lan-Mol to camp. It saves much suffering. At all druggists, 25c.

SCHOOL TEACHER

Placed Pepper on the Tongues of Pupils

NEWINGTON, N. H., June 6.—Charges that Miss Louisa Beane, a school teacher, had placed pepper on the tongues of his two children to keep them from whispering, were filed yesterday with the New Hampshire society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children by Harry DeRochemont. The complaint was made to Dr. James R. May, president of the society, after Mr. DeRochemont had appealed to the town school board without effect. The society will make an investigation.

Miss Beane appeared before the school board and admitted that she had placed pepper on the tongues of Archie and Lawrence DeRochemont. She declared the punishment was not unusual nor severe, and the school board upheld her.

Yesterday she used the same punishment again and the complaint to Dr. May followed. The school board declares that statements of the children at the hearing refuted the charges made by their father.

Mr. DeRochemont said today that the tongues of his sons had become inflamed and that one of them was unable to eat.

MME. ANNA GOULD WANTS DELAY IN PAYMENT OF \$24,000.

PARIS, June 6.—Counsel for Mme. Anna Gould yesterday applied to the civil tribunal to grant her a delay in the payment of \$24,000 to Mme. Nemi-doff, a singer, for a necklace purchased by her former husband, Count Boni de Castellane, pointing out that her income now is only \$6,000 per month and that it would be impossible to pay such a large sum immediately. The court consented to the payment of \$8,000 each three months to the singer.

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THE STATE TAX

Will Be Higher Than Last Year

IN MEMORY OF LATE BISHOP DELANY

Booklet of His Poems Issued by His Sisters

The running expenses of the state government for the six months ending on June 1 show an increase over last year of \$1,157,337, and Treasurer Chapin says the state tax will be considerably higher than this year.

It was necessary at the beginning of the present year to raise \$4,000,000 by taxation, and Chairman Luce of the House ways and means committee says \$5,000,000 for next year is a conservative estimate. Millia department expenses this year show an increase of nearly half a million dollars. About \$416,000 of this is due to payments made by the state to cities and towns for armories taken over.

The expenditure for charitable institutions of all kinds shows an apparent excess over last year of \$217,000, but receipts are larger than usual and reduce the net increase in expenditures to \$216,185.

The increase in the expense of boards and commissions during the six months is \$141,000. Reformatory and correctional institutions claim an increase of \$65,000 over the corresponding period of 1907, while the public buildings have cost \$61,000 more than a year ago.

The only branch of the state service which shows any substantial decrease in the cost of maintenance is the educational department and the state library, the showing being \$98,000 less than during the first six months a year ago.

BURLINGTON, Vt., June 6.—Judge George W. Northedge, formerly of Marinette, Wis., came to Burlington yesterday to hunt up the different branches of his family for the purpose of prosecuting a claim to estates of more than \$150,000. The estates are located at Montreal and in Wiltshire, England.

Judge Northedge believes he has accumulated genealogical and other evidence sufficient to warrant him in believing that members of his family are entitled to a very large portion of the estate. The claimants include: Mrs. Nellie and Eliza Langewie, this city; Charlotte Gibe, House's Point, N. Y.; Mrs. Annie Bailey, Hamilton, Ont.; Mrs. Leach Jones and Eliza Brooks, Toronto, Ont., and Lucy Vores, Chippewa, Ont.

The father of Judge Northedge was a native of Montreal. He recruited and became colonel of the 59th regiment, New York Volunteer Infantry, and distinguished himself in many engagements.

The son, Judge Northedge, also served in the Civil war. He was a member of company C, 1st Connecticut cavalry, and was three times wounded. He is a prominent G. A. R. man and is also a member of the Masonic fraternity.

LOWELL WOMEN THEY SEE MERIT IF MERIT EXISTS.

You can fool some women once in a while but you can't fool all the women all the while and you can't fool a Lowell woman a little bit when it comes to home cooking. Since Miss Webster began her lectures at the Lowell Gas Light Co.'s appliance store before more than 2000 of the women of Lowell. At her last Thursday lecture, people were turned away because of the limited number of square inches at the appliance store. Need more so said? One may ask, what is the Lowell Gas Light Co. gaining by these demonstration lectures? Answer—First, it is winning the good opinion, the good will of housekeepers. Second, it is selling gas ranges and water heaters. It works like this: At a recent lecture a lady attended, who chanced to drop in without previous intention. She said afterward that she was prejudiced against a gas range owing to the experience of one of her neighbors who falling in results became discouraged, put the gas range aside where it remained unused. The lady listened to Miss Webster, saw her work, became interested, and it is a fact before leaving the appliance store she ordered a gas range for her own kitchen. And now Miss Webster has the street and number of the lady who became discouraged and discarded her range and she will visit there and in her nice way will convince the good lady that the range is all right and if there is anything really wrong will report it to the Lowell Gas Light Co., and the company will make it right. That's business—good business; that's doing things in "the city that does things."

Lectures continue next week.

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SOLENN REQUIEM IN THE PULPITS

At St. Patrick's Church June 11

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Thursday, June 11th, will be the second anniversary of the death of the Right Reverend John B. Delany, D. D., the beloved and lamented second bishop of Manchester, N. H. At Lowell, Mass., the native city of the deceased prelate, solemmn requiem mass will be offered in St. Patrick's church, and at Manchester, N. H., the field of his untiring and fruitful labors, in St. Joseph's cathedral, pontifical services will be held in remembrance of the honored dead.

Although the body of Bishop Delany rests in the shadow of the cathedral sanctuary he so much revered and loved, yet, within the past year a beautiful memorial to him has been erected in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery at Lowell. Besides the fitting inscription which it bears, the esteemed bishop's coat of arms is finely cut in the polished granite together with his motto, "Cor Jesu Spes Mei," which words were the last he pronounced on earth.

Another beautiful memorial in the form of a highly artistic booklet of the deceased prelate's poems has been published during the year and to those who have been privileged to receive a copy it is a much-prized gift. It has been well described as "a casket of precious jewels, each one of which reflects his exquisite setting the simple childlike faith, the strong confident hope, and the boundless Christlike charity of Bishop Delany's great and good heart and his grand and noble soul." The booklet has been "dedicated to the dear and loyal friends of Bishop Delany by his sisters."

Such worthy remembrances fittingly illustrate the text "To live in hearts we leave behind is not to die."

HUGE PIKE BELIEVED TO HOLD THE WORLD'S RECORD.

SAINT PAUL, Minn., June 6.—Two huge pike, believed to hold the world's record for size and length, have just been taken in Gull lake under the authority of the state game and fish commission, and are now being mounted to become a permanent exhibit of Minnesota's supremacy in game fish. One of them will be placed in the state museum at Willowbrook hatchery in Saint Paul and the other will be placed in the Saint Paul headquarters of the game and fish commission.

The two pike are twins, and surpass any of their species ever before taken in Minnesota. Both weigh eighteen and a quarter pounds. Each is thirty-two and a half inches in length. The jaws of the two monsters have a sufficient opening to close easily over a man's clenched fist. Between the dorsal fins and the gills each is as large as a man's leg. While there are no official records it is believed that each surpasses the largest pike previously taken in Minnesota waters by four and a quarter pounds.

State Superintendent of Fisheries Sam F. Fullerton states that it is very probable that still larger pike inhabit Gull lake.

"Last season," he said, "our men took two pike while gathering pike eggs, that weighed fully twenty pounds each. They were returned to the water after they were stripped. The two we are having mounted are not quite that large, but are still of exceptional size. They were taken at the same time and are probably twins. It frequently happens both with pike and bass that after one fish of unusual size is taken, his mate of equal size will be taken in the same place."

"There is no way of telling how old these two are. They are most remarkable fish and probably of great age. The sturgeon, our slowest-growing fish, gains but a pound a year, even if he weighs 200 pounds. Pike probably make a better growth but these two even allowing for that, are without doubt early settlers in the Gull lake waters. They were taken by Jeff Saunders, superintendent of the Glenwood hatchery, and break all Minnesota records as far as I can learn, although eight, ten and twelve pound pike are frequently taken. They were caught while going into Home brook to spawn."

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UNION PICNIC PLANNED. The High street and the Eliot Congregational churches will hold a union picnic at Willow Dale, Wednesday, June 24. Both churches are taking great interest in the arrangements for the picnic and its success is assured.

MEETING AT PASTOR'S HOME. The Christian Endeavor society of the Palge street church held its regular monthly meeting last night at the home of the pastor, Rev. A. R. Tooth-acre, 82 Dover street.

IRELAND'S SUCCESS DURING TWENTY YEARS OF PARLIAMENTARY WORK

BOSTON, June 6.—It was a very happy and satisfied audience of more than 2000 people that left Tremont temple last night at the conclusion of John O'Callaghan's lecture on the Ireland of today, or as he entitled it, "Twenty Years of Ireland's National Progress; the Result of Parliamentary Action."

No man in America is better informed on the conditions in Ireland than is Mr. O'Callaghan.

The lecturer was introduced by M. J. Jordan, another keen student of Irish history and Irish affairs, who in his introduction gave a clear and concise statement of the political events of the last generation which had led up to the present conditions in Ireland. He paid a fine tribute to the part which Mr. O'Callaghan had played in this work.

The first portion of Mr. O'Callaghan's lecture and the accompanying views dealt with the historic and picturesque features of Ireland, including the banquet hall at Tara, Kincora, the seat of the king Brian Boru in Clare, St. Canice's in Kilkenny, the ruins of Melmurry's castle, the seven churches at Glendalough in Wicklow, Avondale, the home of Parnell; St. Patrick's cathedral in Armagh, the seat of Cardinal Logue, who is in this country at present; the city of Waterford, the Limerick treaty stone, the lakes of Killarney, the graves of Parnell, Davitt and John Mitchell, and many other interesting and picturesque spots.

He next took up the congestion problem in Ireland and by means of a map of the island pointed out these various districts in Roscommon, Galway and other counties. In these congested districts the people had been driven by the landlord in thousands from their little crude homes—evicted in most cases in a brutal manner—and had been obliged to go to the waste places in the mountains and bogs to find shelter and sustenance, while the land they or their forebears had occupied for centuries was turned into grazing lands for the raising of cattle.

The lecturer showed a number of the pitiful eviction scenes of 20 years ago, in which the cottages were battered down over the heads of the occupants by the soldiers and constabulary. He showed the work which had been accomplished by the congested districts board, that was appointed through the efforts of Redmond and the Irish parliamentary party. There was shown Lord Dillon's estate in Roscommon, which had been purchased for over \$1,000,000 and cut up into holdings on which fine cottages have been erected, in which the tenants evicted from their old homes now live in security at very moderate rentals. He exhibited the old home of Bernard King, who put up such a hard fight against eviction, and the fine new home which King now occupies on the same site.

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SCHOOL BOARD TACTICS

IF THE SCHOOL BOARD CARES ANYTHING FOR THE FEELINGS OF THE PUBLIC IT WILL NOT ATTEMPT TO MAKE ANY CHANGE IN THE SYSTEM OF MUSIC THIS YEAR.

IF THE SYSTEM IS DEFECTIVE, AS SOME WOULD LEAD US TO SUPPOSE, WHY HAVE WE HEARD NOTHING ABOUT IT BEFORE? WHY WAS NOTHING SAID ABOUT IT IN THE ANNUAL REPORT, OR WHY WHEN SUPT. WHITCOMB WAS BEFORE THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS DID HE NOT MENTION THE FACT THAT THE TEXT BOOKS ON MUSIC WOULD HAVE TO BE CHANGED?

HE DID NOT MENTION THIS MATTER BECAUSE THERE HAD BEEN NO COMPLAINT AGAINST THE TEXT BOOKS IN USE AND THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN NO COMPLAINT HAD NOT THE AGENTS OF PUBLISHING HOUSES COME AROUND TO THE COMMITTEE ON MUSIC AND ARRANGED FOR THE PROPOSED CHANGE.

THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SHOULD NOT BE DRAWN INTO THIS GAME BECAUSE EVERY MAN WHO HAS A HAND IN IT WILL BE BRANDED AS A GRAFTER AND RETIRED IN DISGRACE.

IN SPITE OF PROTESTS FROM THE GRAMMAR MASTERS, WHO KNOW THE MERITS OF TEXT BOOKS, A NEW ARITHMETIC WAS RECENTLY PUT IN. WAS THAT DONE TO SUPPLY ANY NEED OF THE SCHOOLS? WAS IT DONE TO BENEFIT THE SCHOOLS OR TO BENEFIT THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND SUPPLIES? IT WAS DONE AT THE INSTIGATION OF THE PUBLISHERS JUST AS THE PROPOSED CHANGE IN THE MUSIC BOOKS IS TO BE MADE.

AND PRAY, WHAT FAULT IS FOUND BY THE BOARD WITH THE MUSIC BOOKS NOW IN USE? OH! "THEY ARE DEFICIENT IN TECHNIQUE AND THEY HAVE TOO MANY LOVE SONGS." WHAT STICKLERS THESE GENTLEMEN ARE FOR "TECHNIQUE" AND FOR THE NATURE OF THE MATTER PLACED IN THE HANDS OF THE PUPILS!

IT SEEMS TO BE OF VAST IMPORTANCE JUST NOW WHAT PUBLISHING HOUSE FURNISHES THE MATERIAL AND WHICH COMMITTEE HAS THE SELECTION OF THE MUSIC SYSTEM. IF THE SCHOOL BOARD WERE ANXIOUS TO SET A HIGH MORAL EXAMPLE BEFORE THE SCHOOL CHILDREN, IT MIGHT REVERSE ITS POLICY AND FOR ONCE IN ITS LIFE GIVE AN EXAMPLE OF HONEST, DISINTERESTED ADMINISTRATION.

THE SCHOOLS ARE DEMORALIZED, THE PROGRESS OF THE PUPILS RETARDED AND THE CITY TREASURY ROBBED BY THIS FREQUENT CHANGING OF TEXT BOOKS MERELY TO CARRY OUT DEALS WITH PUBLISHING HOUSES BY THE GRAFTERS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

THE TAX-PAYERS HAVE NO IDEA OF HOW THE EXPENSES ARE ROLLED UP BY CHANGES IN TEXT BOOKS. THE CHANGES WE SHALL BE TOLD WILL BE MADE GRADUALLY SO THAT THE CITY WILL NOT SUFFER; YET THE FACT REMAINS THAT A VAST NUMBER OF BOOKS BUT LITTLE USED WILL BE THROWN ASIDE TO GIVE PLACE TO THE NEW.

IF THE MUSIC BOOK DEAL BE CARRIED THROUGH AS PROPOSED, THE LEGISLATURE SHOULD BE APPEALED TO FOR A CHANGE THAT WOULD PREVENT A FEW GRAFTERS FROM DICTATING WHAT BOOKS SHALL BE USED IN THE SCHOOLS.

THE SUPERINTENDENT IS GIVEN NO POWER OR AUTHORITY EITHER TO SELECT TEACHERS, TO SELECT BOOKS, OR TO SEE THAT SATISFACTORY RESULTS ARE ATTAINED IN THE SCHOOLS. SUPT. WHITCOMB IS COMPETENT TO DO ALL THIS, BUT UNDER THE DOMINATION OF THE BOARD, HIS AUTHORITY IS SO RESTRICTED THAT HE IS NOT PERMITTED TO EARN MORE THAN A SMALL FRACTION OF THE \$3,000 PAID FOR HIS SERVICES EVERY YEAR.

IT IS TIME THE SCHOOL BOARD WERE CLEARED OF POLITICAL BOSSES AND PETTY GRAFTERS.

DON'T STOP THE AUTO RACES

THERE ARE THOSE WHO SAY THAT THE CIRCUS INJURED THE CITY IN TAKING AWAY SO MUCH MONEY BUT IT TAKES SOMETHING LIKE A CIRCUS ONCE IN A WHILE TO DISPEL THE GLOOM THAT PEOPLE FEEL DURING A SLIGHT DEPRESSION. ALL WHO ATTENDED THE CIRCUS FELT THAT THEIR MONEY WAS WELL SPENT.

IN REGARD TO THE CELEBRATION OF THE FOURTH THE SAME THING IS TRUE. THE PEOPLE WANT A CELEBRATION OF SOME KIND. IF THINGS WERE AS THEY SHOULD BE AN APPROPRIATION WOULD BE MADE FOR A CELEBRATION SAME AS FOR ANY OF THE OTHER NECESSARY EXPENDITURES. WERE THAT DONE SOMETHING NEW COULD BE PROVIDED EVEN FOR A SMALL AMOUNT.

THE AUTO RACE SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT AS PLANNED. IT WOULD BE A MISTAKE TO BLOCK IT BY LEGAL TACTICS. SOME

PEOPLE MAY BE AFRAID OF FATAL ACCIDENTS. IF WE DO NOT HAVE A CELEBRATION THERE MAY BE SUICIDES FROM DESPONDENCY AND MURDERS FROM INDULGENCE IN STRONG DRINK AND THESE WOULD BE WORSE THAN MERE ACCIDENTS. GIVE US A CELEBRATION AND GIVE US THE AUTO RACES. BOTH WILL HELP THE CITY IN VARIOUS WAYS.

SEEN AND HEARD

Here is one of the prize fish stories sent out from St. Paul, Minn.

Few more remarkable experiences have ever befallen a fisherman than those of Nathan Rosenstien of Saint Paul who in early August of last year borrowed a bamboo pole and the price of a row boat from "Doc" Rutledge and went fishing in beautiful Lake Bemidji. Rosenstien caught seven sunfish and a perch and was about to give up and quit when an enormous pickerel made a furious dash at his bait.

Rosenstien had just placed his pole between his teeth and was exploring his trousers' pocket for a match. The suddenness of the "strike" startled him and he jerked his pole with his free hand while involuntarily tugging at the other to get it free from the pocket. All would have gone well, but for the pocket flap which caught his hand and held it for a second. Another vicious tug freed the fish manipulator, but as it came loose a ten dollar gold piece slipped out of the pocket and rolled toward the punt. Rosenstien dropped the pole and grabbed for the coin but it slid overboard and with a dull "clunk" slipped gently downward through the clear water. Fascinated by the sight, Rosenstien could but sit and watch. Then a curious thing happened. The big pickerel, wrenching himself free from the hook, and attracted by the shining coin, swung around the boat. The great jaws opened and the coin disappeared before Rosenstien's very eyes.

A few days ago Rosenstien was again on Lake Bemidji and made a fairly good day's catch. Trolling back towards the dock in the evening he felt a strike and after a furious ten minute battle landed an enormous pickerel. It looked familiar, but when he reached the dock and began to strip his catch, what was his surprise on splitting the big pickerel to find the ten dollar gold piece lost last fall. He eyed the fish and then went at it again with his knife.

"What's this, Rosenstien?" he asked. Rosenstien poked around with his knife and uncovered fifty-eight cents in small silver coins and pennies. It was as great a legal rate on the lost ten dollar gold piece.

Rosenstien's "pickerel bank" has already become a part of the classic lore of the Lake Bemidji anglers. They proudly show the spot where the big pickerel was cleaned in proof of the veracity of this account.

When a fellow treats there are two ways of retreating. He is a wise man who chooses the best.

Don't forget that when you have good health you're rich.

Old slouch hats sometimes cover more brains than does the rich and elegantly woven Panama.

If one could see a tree toad he wouldn't be half so annoying.

There is peculiar use for the automobile in and out of Lowell. One man peddles fish in his auto while another delivers ice cream. In Haverhill a fellow connects the engine of his automobile to a circular saw and saws wood, but the limit was reached when those circus following fashions struck town. They had a machine that they slept in, cooked in and lived in. They sold hot roasted peanuts, frankfurts, hamburger steaks and other things and it was all done in the automobile. Even Martin Mack allowed that it was a

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big improvement on the lunch cart. One good thing about an automobile joint of that kind is that if you don't like the company you can smoke up and pull out of town.

"Peck" Doherty allows that he can walk to Lawrence in one hour and a half. He tried Saturday afternoon and for his pains got a good ducking in the woods near Mr. Pleasant avenue, when he and his friend Pat lost their bearings. Just think of a man eating 12 ham sandwiches and then topping off with five plates of ice cream, and still being hungry. You bet the clerks of look Central street can go home.

There would be the very old Harry to pay if the board of aldermen or common council should hold a session, but a committee of the school board, a twig of the automobile, gets away with it all right.

It's a well established fact that when things are a bit shady the reporters do not want the reporters around.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

LAFOLLETTE'S ACHIEVEMENT.

N. Y. Sun: We confess to a feeling of admiration for the senior senator from Wisconsin. Opinions may differ with regard to his intellectual endowment, but as a sporting people we ought to be in pride of his physical prowess. Eighteen and a half consecutive hours of talk—not uttered in a monotonous, but a sheer artful manner—talking against a currency bill from 12:30 p. m. until 7 a. m. in the United States senate. It stands as the record for speech in the greatest deliberative body in the world, and there is no other man in the country—certainly not in the senate—who is capable of such an achievement, unless it be William J. Bryan.

GOING ON FULL TIME.

Lawrence Telegram: A few months ago the newspapers of this country in the United States senate. It stands as the record for speech in the greatest deliberative body in the world, and there is no other man in the country—certainly not in the senate—who is capable of such an achievement, unless it be William J. Bryan.

In New England on Monday alone the record was made that thirty-five thousand operatives going on full time. From St. Louis comes the report that the prosperity boomers of that city made good their announcement to the extent of seeing that 17,000 additional men were put back at work June 1.

So the record runs. From every little as well as big manufacturing city in the country the announcements are beginning to glow with the warm color of hope returned, confidence revived and the starting of concerns on full time.

THE COPYRIGHT DECISION.

New York Post: Again the supreme court has made a decision that is important to the publisher of the law against restraint of trade. Not even publishers of copyrighted books, it seems, can legally make an agreement to keep up prices. The suit involved the right of a department store to sell at less than the agreed price. That right is now upheld by the supreme court. There was no question, of course, of an attempted conspiracy of the business by publishers. Their case rested simply on what they conceived to be the proper protection of copyright. The sale of non-copyright books issued by them they made no effort to control; their contention was that a copyright, like a patent, carried with it the right to charge and maintain a fixed price. But the supreme court yesterday decided otherwise.

ANGLO-AMERICAN POSTAGE.

Boston Herald: On and after Oct. 1, letter postage between the United States and Great Britain and Ireland will be at the rate of two cents an ounce, instead of the present rate of five cents for the first ounce and three cents for each additional ounce. The law of this process of postage reduction has been that what is lost nominally is practically more than gained. Postal revenue rises as rates fall. Cheaper communication invariably increases correspondence, and increase of correspondence has its practical value to commerce as well as its sentimental value to separated kindred. The new rate has long been advocated, but

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VARNUM SCHOOL

GRADUATING CLASS VISITED

WHITTIER'S BIRTHPLACE.

Yesterday was "Whittier day" with the graduating class of the Varnum grammar school. The class members crowned their study of the poet with a pilgrimage to his birthplace in Amesbury.

The birthplace was gone over from top to bottom and a great many things historical were seen and there are still traces about the old home of the things that lent inspiration to the poet. The visit was one that will not be forgotten in a hurry. It was full of more than ordinary interest and was a fitting climax to the study of the great poet.

After the place had been thoroughly gone over and the pupils had feasted their eyes on the relics of the poet, a ball game was introduced. The teams were the "Blues" and the "Whites." The former won in a seven inning game, 12 to 8. Donald Kirby pitched for the winners and Herman Lake was the back stop.

For the "Whites" Gascon Campbell did the twirling and Donald McRitchey was the catcher.

In the 100-yards dash for large boys McRitchey was first and Campbell second. For small boys, at the same distance, Burden Stiles was first and

Arthur Isherwood second. In the three-legged race McRitchey was first and Harold Wentworth second. In the three-legged contest for the smaller boys Charles Woodward was the winner, with John Curley second.

TAFT WINS OUT

He Gets the Alabama

Delegation

CHICAGO, June 6.—Without roll-calls the republican national committee yesterday decided the contests from Alabama and Arkansas, involving 24 seats in the republican national convention, in favor of the delegates instructed for Secretary Taft. The victory for the Taft forces was sweeping, not even a division being required to determine the will of the committee.

Contests from Florida, Georgia and Kentucky will be heard today, the total number of seats affected being 34.

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THE MAYOR'S VETO NEW ST. PAUL'S

Of Order Giving Auto Club Use Hurd Street Church Presents a Beautiful Aspect

The Law Permits Hill-Climbing Contests and Forbids Automobile Races on Highways—Text of the Veto and the City Solicitor's Opinion

The combination given below is the mayor's veto of the order entitled "Order Authorizing Lowell Automobile Club exclusive use of certain highways for speed tests," and the city solicitor's opinion which is responsible for the veto. It will be noted that the law governing the case is very peculiar, inasmuch as while such a race as was proposed by the Lowell Automobile club is prohibited, the law does give to the mayor and board of aldermen of the city, the power to grant permits to persons to drive automobiles or motor cycles in hill-climbing con-

tests during a specified time, and upon specified parts of the public way at any rate of speed. The veto and the city solicitor's opinion are as follows:

Lowell, Mass., June 6, 1908.

Gentlemen of the city council:—

I am obliged by a sense of public duty and respect for the law to return to you without my approval a joint order entitled "Order Authorizing Lowell Automobile club exclusive use of certain highways for speed tests."

The intent of the order is to grant to the Lowell Automobile club the exclusive use of portions of the Pawtucket boulevard, Yarnum avenue and

With the exception of the repairs on the great organ in the auditorium the renovation of St. Paul's church after the fire, is about complete and one will have to go far to find a more beautiful or more convenient interior.

The repairs on the organ which of course delay the re-establishment of the pulpit will take until September when the church will be rededicated with elaborate and impressive services at which some of the leading dignitaries of the church will participate.

At present, however, the church may be said to be practically completed and services are being held in the vestry

which in itself will compare favorably with many auditoriums. The carpentering work has been completed and the painters are now finishing their work in the auditorium.

One would hardly know the old church upon entering so striking are the improvements that have been made and Rev. Mr. Dean, the zealous and popular pastor of St. Paul's, is to be congratulated upon so quickly and so completely recovering from the disastrous effects of the fire.

The change and improvement is noticed as one enters the main door, for here instead of the old sliding door which in days gone by often caused the poor sexton to recall the fact that Job

HAVERHILL LOST

Lowell High Won An Easy Victory

THE SCORE WAS 22 TO 3

Lowell Made 13 Runs in First Inning

The score of 22 to 3 in favor of Lowell High tells in a nutshell the story of yesterday's game at Spaulding park. It was Haverhill's off-day, and the contest was Lowell's from start to finish. Fourteen errors were chalked against the Haverhill players, whereas the home team played an errorless game.

The one feature of the game yesterday that marked the contest as a bit peculiar was Lowell's half of the first inning. Lowell went round the batting order twice, sending eighteen men to bat, and scoring a total of thirteen runs with only five hits. The other runs were led in by seven costly errors on the part of McFadden, Brickett, Ryan, Miller and Behan.

The game was probably the slowest one, from the spectator's point of view, that has been played at the park this season, lasting two hours and ten minutes.

Thompson twirled for Lowell, striking out twelve men. Six men walked, but, for the most part, the work of the Lowell boys was effective.

At first, Donahue played well, taking everything that came his way. Foye missed two foul tips that easily might have been hits, but otherwise his work was good. At bat, the Lowell players even down to the tall-enders, showed an inclination to mull everything that came within three feet of the plate, generally sending the sphere out for a hit.

Dodge, although the last Lowell man on the batting list, covered himself with glory, hitting for three safeties out of five times at bat, an average of over 500. More to his credit, too, one of his hits was a splendid two-bagger. Parker was the other three-hit man, equalling Dodge's work.

For the visitors, the pitching of Brickett was a bit eccentric. The Haverhill boy permitted seven men to reach first on free transportation slips, and only struck out four men. Read, who succeeded Brickett on the slab, was no better and everybody hit freely. Several strikeouts were made in the Haverhill lineup during the game, all to no effect. In a nutshell, the contest was but a farce, and about as poorly played exhibition of the national game as was ever seen in this city.

The attendance was exactly what such a game deserved, numbering perhaps into the two hundreds.

\$50,000 CLEANUP

WAS MADE IN A FAKE FLASH DESPATCH.

CHICAGO, June 6.—Fifty thousand dollars, it is estimated, was lost in Chicago on a "fake" flash coming over the telegraph lines five minutes before the finish of the battle in which Stanley Ketchel defeated Billy Papke in Milwaukee, saying the latter was victor.

While the ninth round of the Papke-Ketchel fight was in progress, tickers in Chicago announced that Papke had won. Hundreds of bets were placed at once, and the "fake" once, who had inside information that Papke could only win by a knockout, reaped a harvest.

Those who thought they had a "sure thing" put up all their available money. They even pawned their jewelry and borrowed from their friends.

INJURED PERSONS

ALL ARE EXPECTED TO RECOVER.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., June 6.—The injured from the collision on the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric line near here last night in which electric cars were killed and a score more or less seriously hurt were reported to be doing nicely this morning at the Emergency hospital. All were expected to recover.

W. Slaughter, general manager of the electric line, thought to be the most seriously injured, was reported to be "resting easily." He may, however, lose the sight of one eye. The identity of the young woman in ball costume who was killed outright has not yet been established. Her body was placed in charge of an undertaker. The initials "M. E. C." were worked on some of the undergarments.

The responsibility for the accident has not been definitely determined but there was it was stated, a confusion in the orders as to where the cars should pass. The cars were both specials, the one from Baltimore and the other from Annapolis, bound for Washington. It is thought that orders had been issued for the Baltimore car to wait at Best's Gates, three miles from Annapolis, where there is a long siding but the orders were not received or understood and the car continued towards Annapolis.

Just as a car had been rounded where the trees obscure the view the two cars dashed together with a terrific crash. An eye witness who lives close by the scene of the wreck said the cars approached each other at a high rate of speed but that the motorman or one of them undoubtedly tried to check his car as the witness heard the noise of the brake tightening.

2000 SALESMEN

PARADED THROUGH PRINCIPAL STREETS OF BOSTON.

BOSTON, June 6.—Having concluded all the business to properly come before them at yesterday's sessions, the delegates to the annual convention of the National Travelers' United Commercial Travelers of America, were free today to devote their time to the program of entertainment which had been arranged for them. The forenoon furnished the features of the day when the traveling salesmen with their friends and families formed in line and paraded through the streets of the city, about 2000 strong.

At the conclusion of the march cars had been furnished to take them to the Riverside recreation grounds in Auburndale, where refreshments and an afternoon of much enjoyment was prepared.

COL. SCANNELL

AWARDED \$249 DAMAGES AGAINST CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON, June 6.—Col. Roger F. Scannell was awarded a verdict for \$249 against the city of Boston for land taken and damages to springs by a jury before Judge White in the first session of the superior court yesterday. The jury arrived at their verdict after 22 hours of deliberation.

STRUCK BY CAR

Little Girl Was Instantly Killed

QUIDNICK, R. I., June 6.—Rose Szylloski, six years of age of Providence who was visiting her aunt, Zaldie Olozewska in this village, was struck down by an electric car this morning and instantly killed after having been dragged for upwards of fifty feet. Her skull, jaw and left leg were fractured and she received multiple bruises. The fatality has been reported to Coroner James Ray of Coventry and the officials of the Rhode Island company have also instituted an investigation. The car crew was not detained.

EIGHT INJURED

EXPLOSION IN A FACTORY AT INDIANAPOLIS.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 6.—The Prest-Lite factory blew up today. Eight persons are known to be injured. This is the third time within a year that there has been an explosion at the plant. The new factory is wrecked and St. Vincent's hospital a adjoining was wrecked. Windows were shattered in buildings several blocks away.

LIVES IN DANGER

HOUSES SWEEPED AWAY BY THE FLOODS.

ENID, Okla., June 5.—Following six hours of rain, Boggy creek, running through the city, widened today from 20 feet to 2000 feet flooding almost the whole of Enid, carrying away 50 houses, flooding stores and endangering lives. The water is 12 feet deep in May street, covering two blocks of the business center.

SIX ARE DEAD

AS RESULT OF TORNADO IN NEBRASKA.

GENEVA, Neb., June 6.—At least six dead, four fatally hurt and several others more or less seriously injured is the result of Friday's tornado which swept across Fillmore county and destroyed everything in its path.

CURRENCY ASSOCIATION.

NEW YORK, June 6.—A formal call for a meeting to be held at the New York clearing house next Tuesday when steps will be taken to form a national currency association was sent out by the leading national banks today.



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PRES. ROOSEVELT

REAPPOINTS MEMBERS OF WATERWAYS COMMISSION.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Carrying out his declaration to the conference of governors that should congress fail to provide for the continuance of the inland waterways commission he would continue it by executive act, and congress having failed to act on the subject, President Roosevelt today reappointed the members of that committee. In doing so he made public the following explanation:

"In view of the desirability of continuing the work of the inland waterways commission the president has reappointed those designated last year with the exception of General Alexander Mackenzie, chief of engineers, war department, who has retired, to continue their services on the said commission and has also requested Senator William B. Allison, Rep. Joseph E. Ransdell and Prof. George C. Swain of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology to serve as members. As soon as selection for the chief of engineers for the war department has been made he will also be designated a member of the commission in place of Gen. Mackenzie.

"Several prospective members of the committee changing to be in Washington talked the matter over with President Roosevelt, Secretary Taft and others interested in the subject. That is all there is to be said about the Washington conference."

CORONER'S JURY

SAYS FARM HAND MURDERED THREE PERSONS.

FREEMAN, N. J., June 6.—W. R. Sheppard, his wife Josephine and their servant James Miller who were murdered in their farm home near here on May 18, came to their death at the hands of Frank Zaetere, a young farm hand in the opinion of a coroner's jury which held an inquest over the bodies today. Zaetere is now in the county jail. The police say he has made a confession.

GRAVESEND RACE

GRAVESEND, N. Y., June 6.—First race. James B. Brady, 103, Garner, 11 to 6, even and 1 to 2 won; Besom 24, E. Duane, 13 to 5, even and 1 to 2, second; Queen Marguerite, 55, McCarr, 13 to 4, 2 to 1 and 3 to 5, third. Time—1:09 3/5. Rapid Water, Salubrity, Momentum, Disaster, Frank Lord, Ben, Russellson, Crack Shot, Convulsus, Importe and Simple Honours ran.

LOWELL HIGH

WILL PLAY BIGGEST GAME OF SEASON NEXT SATURDAY.

The biggest ball game of all will take place at Washington park one week from today, Saturday afternoon, June 13, when the Lowell High school and the Lawrence High school will meet in battle array. If the home team wins it will have proven its title clear to the championship of the Merrimack Valley league which includes Haverhill, Lawrence and this city, and Lowell will win the silver trophy as was the case last year.

CITY SEALER

HAS BEEN KEPT BUSY ALL THE TIME.

Since being installed at his office in Railroad street, the city sealer, Mr. John Stott, and his assistants have sealed more than 100 gross of milk bottles, and several thousand measures of other description including coke baskets.

PETTMANN APPOINTED.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Bernhardt Pettmann was today appointed by President Roosevelt as internal revenue collector at Cincinnati.

TO LANCASTER

GIRL WAS SENTENCED BY JUDGE HADLEY.

Sadie Levasseur, charged with leading an idle and disorderly life, was in police court this morning and sentenced to the Lancaster school for girls.

Clenderelle Levasseur, a sister of the above mentioned girl, was charged with being a stubborn child and was placed in the hands of Miss Skilton.

INQUIRY COURT

To Investigate Accident to Tennessee

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The cause of the accident on the cruiser Tennessee in which four men were killed and a number injured caused by the bursting of a steam pipe while the vessel was off the California coast will be thoroughly examined into by a board of investigation or court of inquiry to be appointed by Admiral Sabre.

Upon the results of this inquiry will depend the question of whether any of the officers are responsible for the accident and will also serve for a basis for any improvement of the machinery necessary to prevent a recurrence of the accident. Admiral Sabre has telegraphed a report giving the same information as the newspaper despatches from San Pedro. This accident, he says, occurred at 11 a. m. while the vessel was under full power, the four boiler tube bursting. He said that the injured men were to be transferred to the hospital at Los Angeles this morning. Following the accident the admiral communicated with the first division of the Pacific fleet to obtain additional dressings for the wounded men and then proceeded to San Pedro. The admiral's report gives the list of dead and injured practically as given in the press despatches.

Several months ago there was an accident to the boiler machinery on the cruiser St. Louis while off the Pacific coast caused by the bursting of a water pipe. This, however, was not as severe as the accident on the Tennessee, five men being badly scalded but recovering after ten days' treatment. There have been a number of serious accidents to naval vessels in recent years but the officials claim that the number is smaller and the results less serious than in foreign navies.

BROWN DROWNED

WHILE SWIMMING IN POND AT BROCKTON TODAY.

BROCKTON, June 6.—Harold Brown was drowned while swimming in Cross' upper pond this noon. Ernest Ellis who was swimming with Brown, made a heroic attempt to save his comrade, but failed after the struggling man had brought him below the water twice, exhausting him and bringing him near death.

HOSTON COPPER MARKET.

BOSTON, June 6.—Although the copper shares opened quietly, there developed considerable strength in sympathy with the improved tone in the New York list. It is the general sentiment that when the speculators at Chicago will be known there will be an improvement in the local copper shares.

INSTANTLY KILLED

SON SAW HIS FATHER STRUCK BY TRAIN.

BEVERLY, June 6.—John Hanesbury, employed at the plant of the United Shoe Machinery Co. here was struck and instantly killed by a train at the Federal street bridge on the Boston & Maine R. R. here by a Boston-bound express train. His son Walter was looking out of the factory window at the time and witnessed his father's death. Hanesbury was 45 years of age and is survived by a wife and ten children.

REACHES ST. PETERSBURG.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 6.—R. Bourcier St. Chaffrey, the conductor of the French car in the New York to Paris auto race, arrived here today by rail on his way to Paris. He said he left his car at Viaticovsk.

MISSIONARY UNION.

CLINTONSPRINGS, N. Y., June 6.—Modern medical work in foreign missionary fields, was the topic discussed at today's session of the International Missionary Union. Several members of the union, here on furlough from the distant lands in which they have labored brought encouraging reports of the advancement in the missionary medical field during the first quarter of a century of the life of the union.

JULES LAMBEUX DEAD.

BRUSSELS, June 6.—The death is announced of Jules Lambeux, the Belgian sculptor. He was born in 1852 in Antwerp.

LOW SALARIES

SCARE AWAY CANDIDATES FOR THE MINISTRY.

NEW HAVEN, June 6.—A committee of the alumni association of the Yale divinity school has made a report to the school in which it states that the existing dearth of candidates for the ministry is due in part to the lower compensation in the work of the ministry as part of the materialism of the age and partly to a misconception as to the range of the ministers' work. The committee adds that the traditional methods of evangelism do not appeal to the ministry as compared with social and civic reforms.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Cleveland	21	19	52.8
Philadelphia	22	19	53.7
St. Louis	22	20	52.4
Detroit	22	20	52.4
New York	20	20	50.0
Chicago	20	20	50.0
Washington	18	23	43.3
Boston	19	26	42.2

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Detroit: Boston 7, Detroit 8.
At Chicago: Washington 1, Chicago 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Chicago	24	15	61.6
Cincinnati	22	17	56.5
Pittsburgh	21	13	53.8
Philadelphia	19	17	52.8
New York	20	20	50.0
Boston	19	21	47.5
St. Louis	19	26	42.2
Brooklyn	15	25	37.5

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Boston: Chicago 4, Boston 2.
At Philadelphia: Philadelphia 4, Pittsburgh 1.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Worcester	16	11	59.5
Lawrence	15	11	57.7
Brockton	16	12	57.1
Lynn	15	12	55.6
Haverhill	15	13	53.2
Fall River	12	15	44.1
Lowell	10	17	37.0
New Bedford	9	15	33.3

N. E. LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Lawrence: Lawrence 14, Lowell 5.
At Fall River: Brockton 5, Fall River 1.

At New Bedford: New Bedford 5, Worcester 1.

At Haverhill: Haverhill 7, Lynn 1.

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CHARLEY HITTE

WAS KNOCKED OUT BY TOMMY SULLIVAN.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Tommy Sullivan of Lawrence stopped Charley Hitt of Albany in the fifth round of their fight at the Fairmount A. C. last night. Sullivan completely outclassed Hitt and when he dropped his opponent in the fifth round Paddy Moran, Hitt's chief second, jumped into the ring to save his man from a knockout. Moran hit Hitt about the ring for three rounds. Sullivan dropped his opponent three times in the fourth session. The bell saved Hitt from a knockout in that round.

FIERCE BATTLE.

DAYTON, O., June 6.—Jimmy Dunn of Cleveland and Walter Little of Chicago fought 20 fierce rounds to a draw here last night. Little had all the better of the first rounds, but after that Dunn took the lead.

In the 15th Little rushed and floored Dunn. The next two rounds were slightly in the Chicagoan's favor. The referee's decision pleased the crowd. Dunn had much the best of the fighting. He gave Little many opportunities for a knockout, but the latter's swings to the jaw often fell short and had little effect when they landed.

JIM SMITH OUT.

NEW YORK, June 6.—Mickey McDonough knocked out Jim Smith in the sixth round of the star bout at the stage of the New Polo A. C. last night. McDonough was the aggressor throughout. After about one minute of fighting in the last round he landed a terrific right swing to Smith's jaw and the latter went down and out.

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SOCIETY WOMEN WHO ARE MUSICIANS

VERY few of those who stare enviously at the tattered and stomached dames who add effluence to the horseshoe at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, on society nights are aware that the circle includes a number of musicians who might successfully compete with those upon the stage. The opera has a particular attraction for society women, and the queens of song are practically the only women behind the footlights whom the snobbish smart set of New York admits to its gilded drawing rooms on a footing of equality. Society has contributed not a few members to the profession of prima donna. The late Sibyl Sanderson, daughter of Judge Sanderson of California, was one of these. Mme. Louise Homer, who was a Miss Beatty of Pittsburg, is another fine singer who gave up society for opera.

Mrs. H. S. Kip of New York, who was Miss Frances Coster Jones, is one of the most accomplished singers in metropolitan society. She has studied abroad and is reputed to be contemplating a trip to Paris, where she expects to take up the higher branches of the art. Mrs. Kip knows the soprano roles so perfectly that she could at a moment's notice sing the part of Gilda, Violetta, Mimì or Manon. She is a daughter of Mrs. Louis Quentin Jones and is understood to be interested in music for its own sake, with no intention of appearing on the stage, on which those who have heard her assert that she would shine as a prima donna.

Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, now the Countess Szechenyi, is another member of the fashionable set whose singing voice would earn her a living should her millions take to themselves wings. She was the pupil of Jean de Reszke in Paris, which is a sufficient recommendation of the quality of her voice, as he will accept none but promising pupils.

Miss Frances H. Ives, daughter of Brayton Ives, president of the Metropolitan Trust company of New York, is a charming singer. The Iveses live in East Thirty-ninth street, a region now deserted by the more pushing members of the smart set and given over to those conservative families who care more for convenience than fashion and the glittering attractions of upper Fifth avenue. Miss Ives has improved her voice abroad under the best masters, and her friends believe that her talent would insure her success as an operatic star.

Mrs. Grenville Semple Shelling, wife of the well known New York architect, is another of the society singers whose accomplishments are ranked as equal to those of most professionals. Mrs. Shelling was Miss Margaret W. Anthony, a member of a family devoted to music.

Perhaps the most pleasing singing voice in New York's fashionable so-



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cety belongs to Mrs. Rutherford Stuyvesant, who has more claim to be considered an aristocrat than most of her associates, for she was before her marriage to Mr. Stuyvesant Countess Mathilde de Wassenaer of Paris and is a woman of great charm and intellect. Her voice is a rich mezzo soprano, and it was cultivated by Jean de Reszke. Mr. Stuyvesant's marriage to the beautiful countess, who is his second wife, was one of the fashionable weddings for a few seasons ago in Paris.

Mrs. Foxhall Keene, who was Miss Mary Lawrence of New York and is a member of the fashionable hunting set, is a talented singer, and her beautifully cultivated voice is heard only by her very intimate friends. Miss Lucille Thornton of New York is an excellent contralto. Mrs. Chauncey McKeever, wife of the Wall street broker, is another distinguished society vocalist. As Miss Julia Draper she was immensely popular on account of her personal charm and lovely voice. Mrs. Nicholas Fish, now seen more frequently in Washington than in New York society, is an accomplished musician and finished vocalist. As Miss Clemence Bryce she was considered one of the finest singers in society.

Mrs. Ben Thaw of Pittsburg, so long identified with the New York and Newport sets that she may be classed with them, is a charming singer. Her voice is a light soprano, and she uses it with remarkable effect. Her singing of ballads is particularly creditable.

No ladies in New York society have a juster right to the title of patrons of music than Miss Mary Callender and Miss Caroline de Forest, who live together in a delightful home in East Seventy-second street. There on their evenings at home they entertain all that is best in the social and musical sets of the city. Great singers who will condescend to open their lips nowhere else save for a chosen few are willing to sing for these delightful hostesses, who are themselves finished musicians. It was Miss Callender who founded the Symphony club, and, with Miss de Forest, she is always to be seen at the opera when anything specially new or fine is to be presented.

One of the most musical households in New York's fashionable coterie is that of the Havemeyers. The late Henry O. Havemeyer was a fine violinist and especially devoted to music. It was his joy when there was a family reunion to play second in the amateur orchestra which could be recruited from the various talented members of the Havemeyer connection, some of whom were accomplished players on several instruments, while others were finished singers. The late Theodore Havemeyer was also musical. The music room in the Havemeyer mansion was supplied with a great variety of instruments, from a harp to a kettledrum. Mr. H. O. Havemeyer was interested in collecting violins. There are no more liberal patrons of music than the Havemeyers, and when not in mourning they are among the most regular attendants at the opera. The various branches of the family, includ-

ing Mrs. William Butler Duncan, who was Miss Blanche Havemeyer; Mrs. Louis J. Bellou, who was Miss Kate B. Havemeyer, and her daughters, Mrs. Lawrence Griffith and Mrs. George B. McLaughlin; Mrs. William R. Willcox, who was Miss Martha Havemeyer; Mrs. Cameron McCrea Winslow, who was Miss Theodore Havemeyer, and Mrs. Ed Clarkson Potter, who was Miss Emily Havemeyer, are all excellent musicians. So is Mrs. J. O. Havemeyer, Jr., who was Miss Charlotte Whiting and has very pronounced artistic tastes.

The Rockefellerers form another musical coterie. Mr. John D. Rockefeller is a clever violinist, and all the members of his family are musical. Mrs. Harold McCormick of Chicago, his daughter, does much to foster a taste for music in the smart set of the Windy City, her own acquisitions enabling her to provide her guests with a real treat when she sends out cards for a musicale.

The musicale has during the past season been the fashionable form of entertainment. Society is a bit tired of teas and receptions, and it is now the

thing to assume to be musical even if you are not. Ladies like Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, who are themselves truly musical and have unlimited means at their disposal, have given to their friends some entertainments which it would have been almost impossible for any ordinary manager, for to provide so many fine artists at one concert would have taxed his resources too greatly. No more manager could provide such a setting and unable the great ladies of society to meet the great stars of the opera on the delightfully informal basis that they do in a smart drawing room. Half of the charm of the musicale is the opportunity it affords the guests of meeting the singers and seeing just how they talk and act off the stage. Mrs. Clarence Mackay of New York has given some delightful musicales, and so have a number of other fashionable women, among them Mrs. Edith Wharton, the author of "The House of Mirth," who is extremely musical.

Mrs. Edward I. Koffer and Mrs. Joseph E. Widener are among the most notable of the many musical women in Philadelphia society. Mrs. Koffer has been foremost in enabling the Philharmonic club to give concerts at nominal figures. Mrs. Widener is a liberal patron of opera and music in general. She is the wife of the traction magnate and was Miss Ella Hancock of the well known Quaker City family of that name.

The most musical woman in Washington society is Mrs. William H. Taft. Her musical education, extends along many lines, and there are many persons who consider her the most accomplished amateur musician in the country. She is a fine pianist, sings well and has a wide knowledge of music and musical history. If Mrs. Taft moves into the White House musicians will be feted there, and the music room will be her favorite apartment. Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, like her husband, is very fond of music. His generosity in giving organs to the public is fostered by her. While not a brilliant performer on the piano, she has a thorough understanding of music and is a discriminating critic. Mrs. Reginald de Koven, wife of the composer, is an accomplished musician as well as a pianist. Her husband accords her the credit for many helpful suggestions in composing his operas.

The late Frederick Ranken, the gifted young librettist of "Nancy Brown," "Happyland," "The Student King" and so many other successful operas, frankly acknowledged the assistance which he received from his lovely wife, who is a finished singer and pianist. Mrs. Ranken was Miss Cora Townsend and has the Townsend cleverness for art and music. She tried the effect of most of the principal songs on the piano before her husband decided upon their final suitability for the operas. Sometimes the music was also of her suggestion, while frequently she helped him out with ideas for songs or situations.

Hairdressing as It Is Done at the Present Time

HAIRDRESSERS are complaining bitterly against the rows of puffs that are now so much in vogue. "The business of marceling has fallen off enormously," one of them said to me. "A lady can easily wave her own front hair, and when she pins a row of puffs across the back of her head it conceals perfectly the straight hairs. Also the department stores are selling puffs (made of bleached Chinese hair) for as low as 69 cents. Good quality hair is not an essential of puffs, while it is of switches. You have to pay from \$10 to \$18 for a good switch. But women aren't using them any more. They buy instead two or three rows of puffs and cover their heads with them."

Brushes her hair vigorously. Then, any woman who does not want to have her hair artificially by using puffs, so why should she spend money going to the hairdressers?"

"What he says is perfectly true. Let me tell you how most New York women are fixing their hair at present."

When she unbraids it in the morning, Mrs. Up-to-date bends her head down and lets the hair fall all around her face. Then, taking a brush dipped in brillantine, she brushes her hair vigorously downward from the scalp. No one I know with good hair ever brushes it back over the forehead. It makes the hair lie flat and grow thin at the temples.

Still holding the hair downward, madame then pins all around her head what is called a "transformation." This is short curly hair sewed on a tape the exact measure of the head. The curly hair is covered with longer wavy hair the exact match of the wearer's own. She secures the tape front and back with a hairpin. Then, still brushing with the brush dipped in brillantine, she gathers up her hair over the transformation into a pompadour. This pompadour should be rather wide at the sides and flat on top. Fastening a rubber band around the hair that is left close to the head, she then proceeds to braid the long strands and pin them very flat to the top of her head. Back of this braided arrangement comes a row of puffs starting midway on each side, and between the puffs and the braided part comes a plain, stunning comb. The loose hairs are held up at the back by a shell pin to match, and this has a patent snap. Over all goes a large invisible hair net. The effect is stunning.

Some women part the hair in front, rolling it over in puffs at the sides and having the ornate back effect the same

as I have described. This is splendid for a tall woman with a delicately modeled face.

When I see a woman who makes a bad business of dressing herself I generally find that as a child she was not educated by her mother to pick out her own things with good taste. And also when I find a wife who cannot make both ends meet on her allowance inquiry reveals the fact that as a child and a young woman she had no allowance, and so as her experience in managing money dates only from her marriage you can hardly blame her for doing badly.

What a mistake some mothers make! Can you expect a girl to have good taste when it has never been trained? And let me tell you this: Every child from the age of ten years should have an allowance, even if it is only a quarter a week. Out of this she should

be made to pay certain things—to be responsible for them. The allowance is gradually increased until, by the time the girl is eighteen, she is buying all her own clothes and using good judgment in their selection, too, because she knows she must wear them a certain length of time and that if she makes a mistake she must stand by it; no one will come to her rescue.

That's the idea—teach the child to "manage" and have a sense of responsibility early in life, and you have given it a fair start toward success and happiness.

Here's another way in which the mother can help—I have mentioned it before, but it is so important it will bear repeating—and that is by helping the teacher out of school hours.

The pupils who succeed the best are those fortunate ones whose parents take an interest in their studies.

Draw from the child an account of what it has actually learned that day. This is the best way of fixing it in the memory.

Bring out the practical side of what it has studied. Sometimes when the teacher has a large class she is too busy to do this. At other times she lacks the faculty of making practical applications.

Make the child feel that it is not so much the book knowledge itself that counts, but the ability to make use of it in practical everyday life.

Many a fine education has been wasted and forgotten before it could be put to any use because the pupil did not see the point of what she learned. She had no one to point out to her how she could apply her knowledge to her own needs and make thereby her life broader and more useful.

So ask little Susie what she has learned today, and then add: "Well, Susie, what good does knowing that do you? How is it going to help you?"

This will make Susie use her powers of reasoning and will end by giving her twice as much respect for her lessons.

I would like to place a sign where every mother in this land could see it all the time—

MOTHERS, BE PRACTICAL!

It would do a lot of good. I can tell you.

It is well said that the "real lady" needs no advertisement—in other words, she does not have to tell you she is one. The fact is evident.

But if there is one sign of refinement, above all others, it is being quiet when traveling.

Show me a traveling woman who is loud in her dress when she is on a train or a boat and I will show you one who has not been accustomed to anything, as the saying is.

And what can you say that is bad enough about the woman who discusses her affairs publicly, who shrieks through her windows and who kisses in the station?

She is even worse than the other extreme, the rude woman who is afraid to be civil when she is away from home from fear of being "taken in" and made a fool of in some way.

Traveling is an art, there's no doubt about that, and it shows up women in her true light as nothing else does.

Of all the mean tricks, taking a maid away from a friend by offering her better inducements is certainly the worst.

Personally I wouldn't have anything

to do with a so called "friend" who did that to me.

And yet you hear of it every day.

The wise woman neither does business through her friends nor does she interfere in their business. Friendship should be sacred and kept apart from all else. Don't inflict your troubles on your friends; don't criticize them or



give "good advice" or repeat unkind remarks.

Keep friendship pleasant. The wise woman, whether married or otherwise, is the one who has some other interest in life besides love.

I don't mean that she should cut out the latter, but that she ought to refuse to make it the sum total of her existence. We have all met the sentimental girl. When she thinks she thinks of love, when she reads she reads romance, and when she does anything it is nearly always with an eye to a sentimental result. She is insipid and "slushy," and we laugh at her. But have you ever met the married woman of the same type? She is also insipid and slushy, but we don't laugh at her.

Indeed no! We have to take her seriously because she makes all the trouble.

The divorce courts are full of her either as a correspondent or a complaining wife. As I said, she makes all the trouble in the world, this silly woman who has too much time on her hands because her sole interest in life is love.

Cotton voile is a blessing to the woman of moderate means. It comes in all the shades of the more expensive wool or silk material, and the difference can only be told by the closest scrutiny.

Nothing is prettier than a pale pink or blue embroidered voile made in a fluffy fashion.

After a review of the shops this season I have come to the conclusion that the girl with a modest allowance can dress better by buying things

ask little Susie what she has learned today.

ready made than in any other way. This will be even more of a success if she knows enough about sewing to make her own alterations, for the latter often spoils what is an excellent cut, but only requires to be taken in a little.

I suppose it is an account of the hard times, but everything seems unusually cheap and attractive.

Hate Clyde

New York.

HER SPHERE.

They talk about a woman's sphere. As though it had a limit. There's not a place on earth or heaven. There's not a twist, to mankind given. There's not a whisper you or no. There's not a life or death or birth. That has a feather's weight of worth. Without a woman in it.



A POPULAR GOVERNOR'S WIFE.

Unaffected simplicity characterizes every feature of the life of Mrs. John A. Johnson, wife of the governor of Minnesota, who is announced as a candidate for the presidential nomination. She was Miss Ethel Preston of St. Peters, Minn., and she was married in 1894.



A WELL KNOWN ENGLISH BEAUTY.

The Countess of Dudley is one of the most beautiful women in England. Her husband has recently been appointed governor general of Australia. The Hon. John Hubert Ward, her brother-in-law, is engaged to Miss Jean Reid, daughter of the Hon. Whitelaw Reid, American ambassador to England.

